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THE FIELD OF POLITICS.

The Returns of Florida to be Recanvassed.

Adjournment of the South Carolina Legislature.

Another Illegal Act of the Governor of Oregon.

Arms Placed in the State House Before the Canvass of the Electoral Vote.

SOUTH CAROLINA.

Adjournment of the Legislature.

COLUMBIA, December 22.—The State Senate and Republican House adjourned *sine die* this evening. The Democratic House is in secret session. Their course is not known. The Congressional Committee is still active, tabulating the corrected election returns. A result is not likely to be reached for several days.

Two State Governments.

COLUMBIA, S. C., December 22.—The Democratic House has adjourned *sine die*. This action leaves the two State Governments acting upon their own responsibility. Chamberlain made a large number of nominations of county officials, which were confirmed by the Senate in executive session. Hampton has assurances of funds, and is proceeding also to organize county governments.

OREGON.

A Suspicious Circumstance.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 22.—A Salem (Oregon) dispatch mentions a circumstance not before made in connection with the canvass of the electoral votes. The arms of the Capital Guards, State militia, were removed from the armory, either on the day of the canvass or a day or two before, and returned a few days after. The Republicans say Grover had them in the State House, and his men knew where to find them, loaded for immediate use. The Democrats say they were removed to prevent the Republicans from getting them.

FLORIDA.

Decision of the Supreme Court.

TALLAHASSEE, December 22.—The Supreme Court sustained the demurrer to the answer of the Canvassing Board, and grants a peremptory order to the board to recanvass from the face of the returns. The counsel for the board gave notice of a motion to answer. The Court adjourned to 9 A. M. to-morrow, and announced its determination to adjourn *sine die* to-morrow.

FORTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

SECOND SESSION.

WASHINGTON, December 22, 1876.

SENATE.

OREGON INVESTIGATION.

Soon after being called to order this morning consideration was resumed of the resolution of Mr. Mitchell authorizing an investigation as to the appointment of E. A. Cronin as Presidential elector in Oregon, and after discussion it was agreed to without a division.

The question then recurred upon the substitute for the preamble of the resolution submitted by Mr. Bayard several days ago.

Mr. BAYARD spoke in favor of his substitute, and said it was not right to reflect harshly upon Gov. Grover by the preamble of the resolution offered in advance of the investigation.

After further discussion Mr. MITCHELL accepted the preamble of Mr. Bayard in lieu of that reported by the Committee on Privileges and Elections, and it was agreed to.

The preamble and resolution as agreed to read as follows:

WHEREAS, It is alleged that the Governor of Oregon has issued a certificate of election to one E. A. Cronin as one of the electors of said State, instead of issuing such certificate to one J. W. Watts, alleging that said Watts was ineligible to said office of elector, on November 7, 1876, the time of such election; therefore,

Resolved, That the Committee on Privileges and Elections be instructed to inquire into the eligibility of said J. W. Watts, and investigate the facts attending the appointment of said electors and pretended electors, and report the same to the Senate, and for this purpose may employ a stenographer, send for papers and persons, administer oaths, and examine witnesses.

After the transaction of some unimportant business the Senate adjourned until Tuesday next for want of a quorum.

HOUSE.

REMOVAL OF POLITICAL DISABILITIES.

The bills to remove the political disabilities of George S. Hawkins, of Florida, and A. C. Myers, of Missouri, passed.

APPROPRIATION FOR SPEAKER KERR'S WIDOW.

Mr. GARFIELD offered a resolution directing the Appropriation Committee to report in the deficiency bill a provision to pay to the widow of Speaker Kerr a sum equal to the pay and mileage of the Speaker from the time of his death until the end of the present Congress. Adopted.

The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the private calendar.

After some time the committee rose and reported favorably sundry private bills, but no action was taken.

The Speaker announced that he would be absent to-morrow, and that Mr. Clymer would occupy the chair.

Adjourned.

WASHINGTON TOPICS.

January Interest.

The Treasury will pay January interest on United States bonds on the 26th inst. without rebate, and interest on District of Columbia bonds due on January 1st on the same date and without rebate.

House Judiciary Committee

The House Judiciary Committee was occupied yesterday in the consideration of sundry petitions for relief from political disabilities, and other matters. The committee will probably be called together for a special meeting to consider the action of the Special Louisiana Committee declaring the Returning Board in contempt for refusing to deliver certain original documents, as this subject, although not formally brought to their attention, will probably be referred to them after being officially communicated to the House.

Conflicting Electoral Certificates.

Senator Ferry says that in all cases where conflicting electoral certificates are known to have been issued no receipt will be given by him to either messengers. E. A. Cronin has not yet presented his certificates.

Civil Rights Violator Pardoned.

The President has pardoned Madison Doom, imprisoned in Virginia for violation of the Civil Rights act. This action forestalls proceedings in the Supreme Court, and as this is the only known case of imprisonment under the Civil Rights act, consideration of its constitutionality by the Supreme Court is indefinitely postponed.

Military.

Battery F, First Artillery, sixty-five men, and Battery H, Second Artillery, fifty-four men, arrived in Washington late last Thursday night from Fort Reno, and proceeded to quarters at the arsenal. The latter battery left yesterday afternoon for their old post, Fort McHenry.

The Corn Crop.

The statistician of the Department of Agriculture, in his December report, makes the corn crop only two per cent. short of the great crop of last year, and fully fifty per cent. greater than the crop of 1874. The aggregate, subject to possible future revision, is 1,295,000,000 bushels.

Conference with Tilden.

Senators Bayard and Gordon, and perhaps Thurman and Ransom, also Speaker Randall, Congressmen Lamar, Hewitt and Watterson will leave to-day for New York, by invitation, to hold an informal conference with Mr. Tilden.

THE INDIAN WAR.

Rumored Massacre of Major Randall and His Party in the Big Horn Mountains.

CHICAGO, December 22.—A report which came here this morning from New York, saying a Bozeman (Montana) dispatch had been received which states that Major Randall and his entire party had been massacred by Indians in the Big Horn Mountains, is entirely discredited at General Sheridan's headquarters. The roundabout way in which the news comes is in itself enough to convince the officers there that the report is without foundation. On December 14 a dispatch was received from Fort Fetterman, stating that Randall and his party were at Fort Reno, which is situated seventy miles northwest of Fetterman. Bozeman is four hundred miles from Fetterman, and were this report true it would undoubtedly have come east via Fetterman.

WASHINGTON, December 22.—No information has been received at army headquarters in regard to the reported massacre of Major Randall and party by Crazy Horse's band, but it is thought the report may be true. Brevet Lieutenant Colonel Randall is with General Crook's command, and it is feared he may have been sent on a mission to obtain scouts, and ran into Crazy Horse's band, for which General Crook has been looking for some time past. The story as it reaches Washington is that Major Randall and nearly all the Indians and others of his party were killed in the Big Horn mountains.

The Harrodsburg Tragedy.

LOUISVILLE, December 22.—Robert and James Gallaher, father and son, were both shot and killed at Harrodsburg, Ky., Thursday, by Zack Henry, a cripple. Henry had been whipped by young Gallaher some time ago, and Thursday while standing in the door of the hotel he saw the father approaching, and securing a double barrelled shot gun, fired, killing him instantly. The son ran to his father and Henry fired the other barrel at him, and the shot not proving fatal he drew a pistol and shot him down. Henry was arrested and committed to prison.

FOREIGN NEWS.

Speech by Emperor William on the Eastern Question.

Belgium Declines to Furnish an Army of Occupation.

Socialist Conspiracy in Russia.

THE WAR CLOUD.

Speech by Emperor William on the Eastern Question.

BERLIN, December 22.—Emperor William closed the session of the German Parliament to-day with a speech from the throne. He said, in reference to foreign affairs: The negotiations of the powers upon the Eastern question, as far as proceeded with, justify the hope that my efforts and mutually conciliatory and peaceful intentions of the powers immediately concerned will be successful in solving the pending questions without prejudice to the good relations now existing. Germany will continue, by friendly, disinterested mediation, to lend her co-operation for the attainment of this end.

Sweeping Reforms.

LONDON, December 22.—A dispatch from Pera States that the reforms adopted by the preliminary conference are very sweeping. They include the admission of Christians into the Ottoman army and the transformation of the vilayet of Sophia into a Christian province, under a Christian government. The opinion is pretty equally divided as to whether the Porte will yield to the recommendations of the powers.

Belgian Occupation.

LONDON, December 23.—A telegram from Brussels says Belgium has been officially requested to send troops into Bulgaria. The Brussels press disapprove such action.

A dispatch from Constantinople says the preliminary conference has been summoned to meet to-morrow. Savfet Pasha will preside.

Foreign Soldiers in Turkey.

LONDON, December 23.—A Berlin correspondent telegraphs that the plan for the temporary transfer of a certain number of foreign soldiers into the Turkish service is a failure. No second-rate State will meddle with the Eastern question. Belgium had been confidentially sounded, and had declined to take any part in Eastern affairs. Thereupon, it appears, the plan of introducing foreign police into the Turkish service was mooted by England, but it was objected by Russia. If any plan involving the presence of a force be submitted to Turkey, it can only be the revival of he first of the above mentioned schemes, framed in general terms, and recommended without very strong hopes of its success.

The *Post* announces in an official form that Belgium refused to supply soldiers for the occupation of Turkey, which proposed that each commissioner be accompanied by a thousand of his own countrymen as a police force.

A telegram from Pera states that the Sultan is ill, and his indisposition is of a nature to cause some uneasiness.

The Moras Affair.

A Vienna correspondent reports that the Moras affair caused excitement which almost overbears the interest in the conference. A Berlin dispatch says it appears that the aggressors in this case belonged to the Russian part of the garrison of Belgrade. A Vienna special reports that Austria has accepted the reparation offered by Servia, and the Hungarian authorities have been directed to use all their influence towards tranquilizing popular feeling in Hungary.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Safety of Theatres.

LONDON, December 22.—The Lord Chamberlain has issued a memorandum threatening to rigorously prosecute theatrical managers who violate the rules concerning facilities for exit.

Losses by the Storm.

LONDON, December 23.—Many wrecks on the coast of Aberdeenshire and Kinkandine are reported. Upwards of sixty lives have been lost. In addition to these disasters, the Italian bark Mario Gardell, in the American trade, has been lost off Stabbshead, and twelve persons drowned. These, with other casualties reported during the last few days, make the total number of lives lost on the east coast of Scotland and England during the recent gale fully one hundred and fifty.

LONDON, December 23.—A *Times* dispatch from Shields says the shores of the Tyne are strewn for four miles with wrecks. Similar accounts come from all along the east coast.

INDIA.

Preparing for a Festival.

DELHI, December 22.—Preparations on a magnificent scale are making for the proclamation on the 1st of January of Queen Victoria as "Empress of India." Native princes and chiefs are arriving daily.

RUSSIA.

Socialist Conspiracy.

LONDON, December 23.—A dispatch from Vienna reports that a Socialist conspiracy has been discovered in Russia.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

WILKESBARRE, PA., December 22.—Thomas Campbell has for a second time been convicted of the murder of Michael McNulty in Carbondale on July 4th last.

POTTSVILLE, PA., December 22.—John Voeter, Daniel Mally, Thomas Dale and Thomas Mossgen were killed in the Continental colliery by the explosion of a keg of powder.

INDIANAPOLIS, December 22.—The firemen have been unusually busy in answering alarms last night and this morning. There were seven fires in all, nearly all of them incendiary.

NEW YORK, December 22.—The seventy-first annual dinner of the New England Society took place to-night, Wm. Borden presiding. Letters of regret were read from President Grant, Governor Tilden, General Sherman and others. Among those present were S. D. Babcock, Joseph H. Choat, Isaac Bailey, Josiah Fisk and Elliott Cowdin.

NEW ORLEANS, December 22.—The apparent conflict of testimony before the two investigating committees at New Orleans is explained by the fact that the Senate Committee is taking testimony concerning the election in Ouachita and adjoining parishes which were thrown out by the Returning Board, and the House Committee is examining witnesses from Orleans and adjacent parishes, which were allowed by the Returning Board.

BOSTON, December 22.—James A. Coe, convicted of forgery, committed suicide in prison.

HARRISBURG, December 22.—The Democratic State Executive Committee met to-day and prepared an address to the people, claiming the election of Tilden and calling upon Congress "to adopt such lawful means as may lead to an official declaration of the fact that Tilden and Hendricks have been elected, and urge them to resist with all their power the proposal to settle the ascertainment of a fact already accomplished by a reference of it to any other tribunal than that already appointed to decide it by the Constitution of the United States."

LITTLE ROCK, December 22.—There have been no fires in the city within the past twenty-four hours, and every precaution has been taken to prevent a repetition of the disastrous conflagrations. All tramps, vagrants and suspicious characters are arrested and sentenced to the chain gang.

CHARLESTON, S. C., December 22.—The Washington Light Infantry, who visited Bunker Hill last June, and were so hospitably received, welcomed Gen. N. P. Banks at their meeting this evening. General Banks' remarks were heartily applauded, and cheers given for Boston.

Fire at Parker's Landing.

PARKER'S LANDING, December 22.—A fire to-night destroyed Mrs. Vaughan's millinery store, loss $1,250 and Sendker's boot and shoe store, loss $1,000. The postoffice adjoining these buildings was saved with difficulty. The fire originated in a defective flue.

LOCAL LEGISLATION.

Extra Meeting of Select Council Yesterday—The Salary of the Next Mayor Fixed at $6,000—Passage of the Waiter Girl Ordinance—Opposition to the Removal of the State Capital—Resolutions of Respect Concerning President Gross and the late Stephen Dietrich.

After some waiting and considerable difficulty, Select Council managed to get a quorum at its special meeting yesterday afternoon. Mr. David Aiken, Jr., occupied the chair. Members present were Messrs. Aiken, Barckley, L. T. Brown, S. S. Brown, Bruce, Buckley, Carr, C. P. Duff, J. K. P. Duff, Eppling, Evans, Froehlich, Geiger, Herron, Hunter, Jeremy, Kennedy, Kerr, Lagerman, Lappan, Littell, Meyer, Miller, Moore, Murray, MacConnell, McClurg, McGlimpsey, McKinley, Nusser, John ONeil, Powers, Rodgers, Rolfe, Schwarm, Shipton, Sorg, Taylor, Visheiler, Waring, Weldon.

The following resolutions concerning the death of Mr. Stephen Dietrich were offered by Mr. Weldon:

WHEREAS, God, in His infinite wisdom, has seen fit to remove from our midst by death our late fellow member from the Fifteenth ward, Stephen Dietrich, and

WHEREAS, The deceased has been an honorable and upright member of this, the Select branch of City Council, whose public life has commanded the respect and confidence of his fellow citizens, therefore be it

Resolved, That we deeply lament the death of one whose warm and consistent friendship, charitable disposition and genial character endeared him to all with whom he was brought in contact.

Resolved, That we deeply sympathize with the family of the deceased in this the hour of their bereavement.

Resolved, That the members of this Council attend the funeral of deceased in a body.

The resolutions were unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

Mr. LITTELL offered the resignation of his colleague, Mr. J. T. Denniston, member from the Twenty-first ward. It was accepted, and a resolution was adopted directing the Mayor to issue his proclamation for an election to fill the vacancy.

Mr. C. P. DUFF offered the following, which was unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, The Mayor of Philadelphia, at a recent meeting of the Councils of that city, presented a message setting forth his reasons why a determined effort should be made on their part to secure the removal of the State Capital to the building known as "Memorial Hall," and situated on the grounds where the Centennial Exposition was held; and

WHEREAS, Philadelphia has always had or controlled the lion's share of all State appropriations and appointments, such share and control being largely in excess of what she is entitled to by reason of her population and taxable property; and

WHEREAS, The contemplated change of the State Capital will involve the expenditure of millions of the people's money to benefit Philadelphia and her citizens; therefore, be it

Resolved, That as the balance of this State, Pennsylvania, is not a suburb of Philadelphia, we earnestly request our representatives at Harrisburg to oppose all attempts to saddle the people of the State with the cost of such removal.

Resolved, That if the indications are such as lead our representatives to believe that legislation to effect the removal will be asked for at this or any subsequent meeting of the Legislature, we now request them to take immediate and proper steps to create the new State of *West Pennsylvania*.

Mr. POWERS called up the ordinance providing that after the first day of February 1878 the Mayor of this city shall receive a salary of $6,000 per annum in lieu of all fees. Mr. HUNTER moved as an amendment that the salary be made $4,000 instead of $6,000. The amendment was lost and on final passage the ordinance was adopted by a vote of 37 yeas to 2 nays.

Mr. WELDON asked whether there was any proposition from the Nation Trust Company before Council. If there was he thought it might as well be acted upon. The chair stated that he was not aware of any proposition.

Mr. EVANS called up the ordinance changing the width of Sylvan avenue extension from fifty to forty feet. It was passed.

Mr. C. P. DUFF called up the ordinance prohibiting the employment of waiter girls in saloons. It was passed finally without a dissenting vote, 38 members voting yea. It will be a law when the Mayor shall have approved it.

Mr. JEREMY offered the following, which was adopted:

WHEREAS, There is an act of Assembly relating to pawnbrokers in the city of Philadelphia which provides for the proper pawning of all articles at a fair rate of interest, and the advertising of all articles prior to sale, &c.

Resolved, That the Legislature be and is hereby requested to have said act of Assembly extended to cities of the second class, and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded by the clerk of Councils to our members of the Legislature.

Mr. HERRON presented a resolution granting old City Hall for two weeks after January 2nd to Francis Murphy for the purpose of holding temperance meetings therein. It was referred to the Market Committee to arrange with the Duquesne Greys regarding the grant. The latter have a lease of the hall and it cannot be rented without their consent.

Mr. KERR submitted an ordinance fixing the salary of the Message Clerk of Councils at $500 a year. It was adopted.

The same gentleman offered an ordinance changing the place of holding the elections in the first precinct of the Third ward from the office of the City Controller, in Municipal Hall, to the office of the Janitor. Passed.

Mr. HERRON called up the ordinance for the grading and paving of Exchange alley, in the Fourth ward, from Fourth street to Evans alley. It was adopted.

Mr. AIKEN offered the following, which was adopted:

WHEREAS, The term of office of our esteemed President Dr. A. H. Gross, member from the Twentieth ward, expires with this Centennial year, and,

WHEREAS, On account of serious and continued illness he has been prevented from occupying the chair during the last several months, and consequently declined a re-election, therefore,

Resolved, That we regret his illness and separation from us, and that we trust his health may be speedily restored.

Resolved, That he was ever faithful, attentive, courteous and impartial in the discharge of the duties of his office, and that our thanks are eminently due and are hereby tendered him for the manner in which he discharged his duties, and the interest he manifested in public affairs, and the best interests of the city generally.

Resolutions authorizing the refunding of overpaid and the exoneration of certain taxes, and providing for a transfer of $2,200 from the Printing to the Police appropriation, were all passed.

Mr. KENNEDY called up the ordinance for the grading, paving and curbing of Pride street, from Bluff street to Quince alley. Passed.

An ordinance opening Reed street, from Overhill to Dinwiddie streets, was passed.

Mr. MACCONNELL called up the ordinance for a twenty inch pipe sewer on Beach alley and Seneca street. It was adopted.

Mr. SORG called up the ordinance granting Elizabeth McConaughy the right to erect a frame addition to her building on Butler street, in the Fifteenth ward. Lost for want of one vote.

Messrs. Buckley and Shipton were appointed on the committee of conference in charge of the resolution providing for the erection of gas lamps by the West Pittsburgh Gas Company.

Mr. C. P. DUFF offered a resolution instructing the Water Committee to have the fire under the Herron Hill reservoir extinguished. It is said to be gaining headway and threatening buildings on the hill side. The resolution was referred.

Council then adjourned, to meet again next Thursday.

BREVITIES.

····The Post-office defalcation amounts to $7,765.65.

····Private Dalzell's mother recently died in Fayette county.

····A special session of Common Council will be held this afternoon.

····The salary of the Mayor of this city has been fixed at $1,000 per annum.

····The Westmoreland county Teacher's Institute meets at Greensburg on Monday morning.

····Mr. J. T. Denniston has resigned as a member of Select Council from the Twenty-first ward.

····It was reported last night that Lawrence Sproul, proprietor of the White House saloon, was dead.

····J. McGinley is the name of the supposed Pittsburgher thought to have been murdered at Lancaster.

····The Nation Trust Company stockholders say they hope to pay to-day the $165,000 already over-due the city.

····Matinees will be given this afternoon at the Opera House and Library Hall, and the usual performances this evening.

····Business men and merchants have been notified by the police that the sidewalks must hereafter be cleaned twice a week.

····The Theta Alpha Literary Society will give their first entertainment next Thursday evening at the Penn avenue Baptist church.

····William Bracken was arrested last night on Penn avenue in the act of robbing Patrick *alias* "Whisky" Carr, who was drunk.

····Residents of the elevated districts of the city are complaining of a lack of water. Superintendent Atkinson says it can not be helped.

····John Reyenthaler, a well known stock broker at the East Liberty yards, died suddenly on Thursday at Philadelphia, where he was visiting.

····The waiter girl ordinance was passed by Select Council yesterday. To become a law it only needs the Mayor's signature, which it will get.

····Two enthusiastic converts of Murphy, brick makers, have each offered to donate 10,000 bricks toward building in this city a temple of temperance.

····On Thursday evening three horses were stolen in Allegheny city, one belonging to Mr. McPhillamy, one to John Murphy, on Third street, and one to Wm. Shaffer.

····The horse and buck wagon stolen on Wednesday night on Penn avenue from D. S. McKnight, of Allegheny, were found yesterday by a policeman in East Liberty.

····Most of the billiard tables are in good condition, none being badly damaged, except from water, which will not injure them very much.—*Leader*. Too much beer there.

····A row occurred at the corner of Chatham street and Fifth avenue, during which Micky Dunn struck two men over the head with the butt of a loaded whip. No arrests were made.

····Select Council yesterday expressed itself in opposition to the removal of the State Capital from Harrisburg, and conditionally in favor of the erection of the new State of West Pennsylvania.

····The Board of Managers of the Mercantile Library Hall Company has ordered the present means of exit from the theater to be doubled. A new exit seventeen feet wide will be made from the lobby to Sixth street.

····J. F. Milliken, who was recently dismissed from the colonelcy of the Fifth Regiment, by Gov. Hartranft, for issuing an idiotic order in the heat of election excitement, was, on Thursday, at Altoona, re-elected by the regimental officers.

····A little son of Mr. J. L. Hines, of Manhattan street, Allegheny, fell down stairs on Thursday evening with an infant four weeks old in his arms. The babe sustained a fracture of the skull that will likely prove fatal. The lad was not hurt.

····It has been ascertained that the report of the death of Mr. R. R. Dickson, of this city, at the hands of the Dakotah Sioux Indians, is untrue. A dispatch was received from him yesterday stating that he would be home about the 30th inst.

····The Allegheny Gas Committee met last evening. The annual report of Superintendent Richmond, reporting the erection of thirty-two lamps during the year, making nine hundred and eighty-five lamps in the city, was received and filed.

····A resolution will be introduced in Council to-day to foreclose the mortgages given by the stockholders of the Nation Trust Company. We think the time has come for Mr. Grier to open his mouth and give us the inside of this much mixed affair.

····The Centennial Singing Club, Mr. John Hill leader, will give their first grand concert Monday evening, January 1st, 1877, in the Wylie avenue A. M. E. church. This Club has gotten up an inviting programme, and they deserve to be well patronized.

····Between eleven and twelve o'clock on Thursday night Michael Dunn attempted to garrote a Mr McKnight at the corner of Second avenue and Smithfield street. Officer Weir, who happened to be near, arrested Dunn, and yesterday he was committed for trial.

····Franklin Lodge No. 221 A. Y. M. held a meeting on Thursday night at Masonic Hall and elected the following officers: John D. Biggert, W. M.; Samuel Francis, S. W.; Eli Edmundson, J. W.; John W. Hanly, Treasurer; R. W. McConnell, Secretary.

····The Coroner held an inquest yesterday on the body of William Schmeize, aged fourteen, who was killed at Sewickley in attempting to get on a moving freight train. The verdict was accidental death. He resided on the South Side, and was trying to get on board the train to steal a ride home.

····The Christmas piece, "Not Guilty," is to be played at the Opera House next week by the stock company, will have its first production at the matinee on Monday afternoon. The attraction at Library Hall will be Rose Eytinge, who will perform a number of her most successful roles during the week.

····The body of John Steiff, member of Select Council from the Twenty-fifth ward, on the South Side, who has been missing for several weeks, is reported to have been found in the Ohio river, at Bellaire, where he was last seen, having gone thither to look after a coal fleet in which he was interested.

····A slight fire occurred last evening between 8 and 9 o'clock in Wiseman's printing office, corner of Virgin alley and Liberty street. An alarm was sent in from box 12, to which the department responded, but did not go into service. The fire originated from a defective flue. The damage will not exceed $100.

····The Democrats of the Fourth ward, Allegheny, held a meeting the other night and fixed a slate for the ensuing Councilmanic election. They decline to fuse with the Republicans any longer, and want all the spoils or none. Well, they will get none, so Messrs. Callery and McGuire can step down and out.

····James Considine, Joseph Harkins, George Lyons and Ed. Harris were committed to jail yesterday by the Mayor on a charge of committing an assault and battery on Thursday night on William McIlravy, at the corner of Penn and Eleventh street. They knocked their victim down and abused him pretty severely.

····The Irwin avenue school, Second ward, Allegheny, have an alarm signal at which the entire school, 750 pupils, take their books and wrappings, form in regular companies and march out with military precision. At a false alarm yesterday they were all outside in four minutes, and all back in their respective rooms at the end of seven minutes from the time the alarm first sounded.

····The ladies of the Fruit and Flower Chart Society will provide the annual Christmas dinners for the hospitals in this city, as in previous years. Contributions of cash, poultry, oysters, meats, cakes, canned fruits, etc., are respectfully solicited, and can be sent to McCallum's building, No. 77 Fifth avenue, second floor, to-day, from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M. Contributors are requested not to send after that hour. The committee in charge will attend to the reception and distribution at the hours named.

····To day is Mr. Martins' farewell day in our city. During the last two days Mr. Martins has been playing only with amateurs, giving every one a chance of playing a game with the great champion, and for this reason, while there has been much amusement at the headquarters, there has been but little playing to draw forth the admiration of our experts. To day, however, Messrs. Clouser and Reed will oppose the champion, and interesting playing may be looked for. Monday Mr. Martins goes to Buffalo.

····We stated yesterday that Mr. Joseph Young, book-keeper at the Phenix roll works, corner of Forty-second and Railroad streets, had suddenly dropped dead at noon on Thursday. We are glad to state that such is not the case. Mr. Young is alive and hearty. He had only fallen in a fit, the effect of free drinking of milk for the purpose of increasing his avoirdupois, and it was for a time thought the attack would prove fatal. We are pleased at his complete recovery and trust that he may "live long and prosper."

····T. B. Wilgus, David Hart and Nelson Honesty, of Brownsville, were arrested recently on an information lodged against them by Charles P. Campbell, General Insurance Agent of this city, who charges them with having set fire, in June last, to a distillery, malt house and warehouse in the borough of Bridgeport, adjacent to Brownsville. The property was insured for $30,000, several times its value, and it is alleged that the incendiary act was committed to get the insurance on it. The Iron City Company, of this city, and the Ben. Franklin, of Allegheny, are interested in it. The accused gave bail for a hearing.

THE COURT RECORD.

Proceedings in the Several Courts Yesterday.

Common Pleas, No 2.

JUDGES KIRKPATRICK AND WHITE.

John J. McFell vs. John J. Walker. Verdict for plaintiff for $55.20.

Henry Waldschmidt vs. Pollock Eaton; action of replevin for a horse. Verdict for defendant.

John Marshall vs. James Graham. Verdict for plaintiff for $35.

Little Ward, by her next friend, vs. Saml. Severence; action of trover and conversion. Verdict for plaintiff for $380.

Jacob Louerbaugh vs. Joseph Lefever; action on a book account. Verdict for plaintiff for $41.46.

Wm. Evans and wife vs. Dolly Fellmeth et al.; action for damage to property. On trial.

Louis Celia vs. James P. Quinn; an appeal from an Alderman's decision. On trial.

Criminal Court.

JUDGE STOWE.

Thomas Mullen pleaded not guilty to an indictment for larceny and receiving stolen goods, on oath of Henry Rozier.

F. Abert, William Abert and John Hoffman, Jr., indicted for riot, on oath of Henry Helker. *Nolle pros* allowed.

Chas. Wilbert, assault and battery, on oath of William Eisenhart; not guilty and costs divided.

Thomas McCarthy, Cornelius Ford and John O'Brien, robbery, on oath of Charles Miller. Not guilty as to McCarthy and O'Brien, and Ford guilty of an attempt to rob.

Joseph Saville, pleaded *nolo contendere* to a charge of receiving stolen goods, preferred by Wm. M. Hartzell.

Peter Hamil, larceny. Verdict of not guilty.

William McIntosh was acquitted of a charge of larceny as bailee, preferred by H. C. Pitts.

A *nolle pros* was allowed in the case of L. Wilson, charged with counterfeiting a bank check and passing the same. Maross was the prosecutor.

John Gorley was acquitted of a charge of larceny from the person, preferred by Louis Elsessor.

William Durning and Alexander Killen, burglary. Guilty. David M. Martin, prosecutor.

Court Brevities.

JUDGE KETCHAM is still confined to his room at the St. Charles Hotel.

THERE will be no more jury trials in the Criminal Court until Tuesday, the second day of January.

IN the case of J. J. Shutterly bankrupt, an order was made restraining certain execution creditors.

COMMON PLEAS No. 1 was in session but a few moments yesterday. No business of importance was transacted.

JOHN S. MILLER, of Huntingdon county, and Edward S. Merriman, of Allegheny county, filed voluntary petitions in bankruptcy yesterday.

GEN. JOHN HALL received his second commission as U. S. Marshal for the Western District of Pennsylvania yesterday, and having filed his official bond, was sworn into office.

THE jury in the case of Bushnell, for use of Lockhart & Frew vs. The Union Refining and Storing Company, returned a verdict for plaintiffs yesterday morning for $15,149.

LEWIS ROBERTS, convicted in June, 1873, of passing counterfeit money and sentenced to the penitentiary for twenty years, was made happy yesterday by the receipt of a pardon from the President.

THE bond of James H. Reno, recently elected County Engineer, in the sum of $10,000, with John Mackin and W. J. Lewis as sureties, was presented and approved in Court yesterday, and the oath of office administered.

ON motion of S. A. McClung, Esq., Geo. W. Hazen was qualified and admitted to practice in the County Courts yesterday morning. Mr. Hazen has been reading with R. B. Petty, Esq. He passed the examination creditably at the last meeting, but was obliged to wait a week before admission, for the expiration of the full two years of study.

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GEN. SICKLES is talked of for United States District Attorney, in place of BLISS, in New York. He will make a good official.

THE extradition of BRENT, the Louisville forger, represents a diplomatic victory on the part of Secretary FISH, as against England. The view of the treaty on which he insisted has prevailed, and England has come to our view.

A PAINFUL report was current that Major RANDALL, of General CROOK's staff, has been killed by hostile Indians along with the entire force with him. He had been out recruiting Indian scouts, and was attacked on his return. The report proved unfounded.

PRESIDENT GRANT has put a quietus on the report of his being elected United States Senator from Illinois. He is going away, doubts his eligibility, doesn't want the office, and favors LOGAN's re-election. These are the facts, and they effectually put him out of the way as a candidate.

EVEN the New York *Herald*, Democratic in its proclivities as it is, cannot swallow the HEWITT postoffice story. It denounces the mischief-making spirit which would start such reports as he puts in circulation, unless he has ample evidence to sustain them, which confessedly he has not. A bad affair for Mr. HEWITT, that.

AND now Mr. HOPKINS comes to the front with a letter that in Florida frauds have been discovered that will entirely assure TILDEN's election. This is news; but the way it is explained is so very muddy that nothing can be made of it. We judge the results are more a wish than an ascertained fact; but we calmly wait the full disclosures that must be made, ere long.

THE electoral vote of Florida has been delivered to Senator FERRY, and that part of the business is ended. The time for counting the votes will soon roll round. At the present, there seems little likelihood that there will be any arrangement for counting the vote different from that the constitution plainly provides. Thus we have a tolerably sure thing as to the outcome.

HILL is involved in a Senatorial fight in Georgia, and his supposed mellowness on political questions is used as an element of accusation against him. This merely illustrates the fact that politicians make use of all the material they can put their hands on, and are, naturally, disposed to fight HILL the best way possible. There is no general or national significance in the affair at all.

THE Democratic cry of Republicans weakening as to HAYES' inauguration, shows signs of being abandoned, it being discovered that the story doesn't work. So far from its being true, they discover that they must look carefully to their policy, if they do not desire to lose the support of the Southern members of their own party. The situation is more threatening to the Democracy than to Republicans.

WE OCCASIONALLY receive letters of inquiry as to the Presidential situation,—whether we have faith in HAYES being inaugurated; whether there will be war, and many other things. We answer candidly, we have not the slightest doubt that if he lives to the 5th of March HAYES will be inaugurated President, and all will be quiet and peaceable, and no war. All this talk of war is bluster, and Democratic confidence is steadily subsiding before the developments being made. Have no fears.

THE latest from Constantinople is that the demand for reform in administration in Turkey will be very sweeping, and that there is doubt whether the Porte will accept them. If honestly enforced, they will give real and tangible protection to Christians, and will afford them a far better chance in life than heretofore within the bounds of the Ottoman Empire. The new Grand Vizier is regarded as a firmer man than his predecessor, and the belief grows that Turkey will prove troublesome.

THE trouble along the Mexican border still exists. Trouble still exists between the United States forces at Fort Davis and the Mexican revolutionists, the latter having captured an American banker, named MILLER, at Chihuahua, for whose release they demand $80,000 in gold. Colonel ANDREWS, with a force of infantry, cavalry and artillery, is reported as having gone to MILLER's rescue, but it is not likely they will find him alive, as the scoundrels threatened to kill him if their terms were not complied with. It is to be hoped that they will meet merited chastisement at the hands of Col. ANDREWS.

A NEW mode of settling the Presidential muddle has been proposed. It is based on the Democratic theory that if certain States are thrown out, the House will elect. The two Houses do not meet in joint convention until the 14th of February. That being the case, there will be but a trifle over two weeks till the 4th of March. Let the Senate debate the issue till that time, and as the present Congress expires, President GRANT can before the end of his term call an extra session of the new House. In that body HAYES has twenty and TILDEN seventeen States. As the vote must be taken by States, HAYES will be elected. We merely mention this as one of the phases of the question,—not as endorsing it.

MUCH is said of the laxity of the Courts in the trial and punishment of the Molly Maguires; yet they have not been so slow, after all; a considerable number have been convicted, and twelve sentenced to be hanged. It is now admitted that the conspiracies of those people are absolutely broken up, and their danger at an end. They have proven physical cowards, and to have all the fears of guilt, when once broken in upon. A remarkable and significant feature of their transactions is that the members of this mischievous society have in the days of its deserved trouble been utterly false to each other, though bound to keep a brother's secret of whatever character. It is stated that of all the Mollies arrested, two-thirds have humbly asked permission to become witnesses for the State. There is a certain degree of contempt which nobody can help feeling for conduct so uttery selfish and pusillanimous, although the propriety of securing such evidence is easily to be defended upon grounds of public policy. The cry against our authorities has been unjust, as they have proceeded carefully and slowly, but surely in their work.

A NEW POLICY.

We are not prepared, except in the most careful and cautious manner, to make terms with Southern leaders, and yet we confess that the attitude of some of them, of late, in showing a readiness to join with HAYES and the Republican party to pacify the South, by abandoning the Northern Democrats, strikes us with favor. We appreciate the objections that may be brought against this idea, but we incline to the the view that were a clear and well defined line of communication and consolidation developed, it is at least worth the attention of the leaders of the Republican party. The danger is, of course, that having once been conceded a certain amount of power, they will go back again to the Democratic party. Yet they have memories of the past unfaithfulness on the part of the Northern Democracy, that are anything but agreeable. Southern leaders do not hesitate now to declare that it was the Northern Democracy that drew them into rebellion. They were promised aid, and that the scourge of war should be confined to the North, and not oppress the South. All these promises failed when the overt act had been committed, and while they have naturally co-operated with the Democracy since the rebellion, they now feel that it does not pay. We suspect, were the truth fully known, that they had promises, in the event of their doing a certain share of the work, that TILDEN would seize on the Presidency, and that then their day of relief would come. Again the Northern Democrats failed them; and we do not doubt that one reason for the desperation of their efforts to seize the Presidency, is the necessity for holding the Southern Democrats with them. But they are evidently divided.

Several Northern Republican papers have already broached the idea of some understanding between the Republican and Southern Democratic leaders. The Detroit *Post*, supposed to represent Secretary CHANDLER to some extent, points out that, while TILDEN may consolidate the Democratic party in the South, he will also consolidate the Republican party in the North, and the old conflict between the whites and blacks will be continued four years longer, and it adds very pertinently: "A statesmanlike recognition of the leaders of the South on the part of HAYES, a reconciliation of the old anti-Democratic elements of the South with the Republican party, will break up that solid Republican vote. It will dissolve the rigid party color lines, and puts the whole Southern situation in a fluid state which will of itself be a solution of the whole trouble." The New York *Post*, a less prominent Republican paper, referring to Governor HAYES' views of the South, adds: "The first agency which he names as a means of carrying out this policy is a civil service organized upon a system which will secure purity, experience, efficiency, and economy; a strict regard for the public welfare solely in appointments, and the speedy, thorough, and unsparing prosecution and punishment of all public officers who betray official trusts. It holds out to the South a promise of a brighter future than any Democratic President can offer. We are not surprised, therefore, that Southern Democrats regard HAYES' inauguration without apprehension." The Cincinnati *Commercial* says, on the same point: "The finest stroke of statesmanship possible in this country would be the division of Southern white men during the next Republican Administration into Administration and Opposition parties; and if the Southern people will give HAYES a chance to help them and the country in this way, we are sure he would be very glad to improve the opportunity." Of course, the Republican party will make no compromise that will abandon the colored people to any form of re-enslavement or oppression; but this aside, the difficulties do not seem to be great.

THE "CORNERS" FOR "GOAR."

Nasby Tells How they Were Wrought Up.

But Joe Bigler Unsettles their Minds—The Sudden Ending of the War Meeting.

CONFEDERIT X ROADS,
WICH IS IN THE STATE UV KENTUCKY,
Dec. 16th, 1876.

The infamus countin out uv Tilden, the Reform candidate, in spite uv the nigger-killin, bulldozin and intimidashun we did to kerry Floridy, Lozeaner and South Kerliny, will go down into histry ez the final stab at the liberties uv a brave and opprest people. I hev no words to express my indigneshen at the deed, or my loathin uv the deeders. When I think that over a thousand niggers wuz killed in them States, and that the killin uv that thousand scared orf at least a thousand more, when I think uv the pains we took to keep ablishnists from votin, and when I think of the masterly way we countid in the parishes our rifle clubs took control uv, and that after all this we wuz countid out by Returning Boards, and sich, upheld by the minyuns uv Fedrel power, I hev no hesitashen in assertin that our pretense uv liberty is a holler mockery, and that the idee uv a government by the people mite ez well be abandoned to wunst.

The Corners resolved never to submit to the outrage, and the minit the Yoonitid States Marshel got away, the war feelin got so intense that it hed to hev vent. Ther aint only one way for the Corners to work off its excitement, and that is by a meetin. I called one immejitly, and so intense wuz the feelin that every citizen uv the Corners was present.

I never seed sich a feelin since I wuz a child. Ther wazn't any loud, blusterin, onnessary talk—men felt it wuz no time for talk, but rather for ackshen. Ther wuz that compreshen uv lip, that stern look, that thotful expreshen that one sees here only in times uv grate public danger, or when Bascom presents his bill to the citizens with the hartless remark that you don't git another drop till that is paid.

Dekin Pogram remarkt that the countin out uv Tilden wuz a outrage to which the Corners wood never submit. The Corners hed made sacrifices afore for Constooshnel liberty, and wood again. Ez old ez he wuz he hed shot Fedrel pikkets, and tho age hed dimmed his eyes and the newnis uv Bascom's likker hed affected his nerves, he believed he cood do suthin it that way yit. He desired nothin so much ez to git a crack at an ablishnist. He preferred killin ablishnists to niggers any day.

Issaker Pogram wuz more in earnest. He wantid war anyhow. He wuz tired uv all this beatin about the bush. He hed killed niggers to keep em from votin, wich he felt wuz a base compromise. It wuz an admishn that the nigger hed a rite to vote ef he wuzn't killed, wihch he wood never consent to. He wantid an appele to arms that the rite uv the proud Caucashn to rool mite be established forever. His voice wuz for war. He wuz thirsty for gore. No compromise for him—war to the knife.

Capt. M'Pelter wuz for war. He hed suffered wunst and wuz willin to agin. He wuz glad that Tilden wuz countid out, for it showed the South that they hed nothin to expect from the ablishn North. War wuz the only resource left a free people.

The resolooshen presentid breethed a war like sperit wich almost alormed me. They wuz ez follows:

WAREAS, The Dimocrisy uv the Southern States by virtue uv that eternal vigilence wich is the price uv liberty, and shotguns, triumphed over ablishism in Floridy, South Kerliny and Looisaner, and

WAREAS, To do this required constant ridin, and an expenditure uv buck shot onparallelled in the histery uv eleckshans, and

WAREAS, When you hev killed a nigger, or hung a white ablishnist you are entitled to the benefits resultin from it, and

WAREAS, Ablishn offishals and Returnin Boards hev cooly thrown out all parishes were a decent regard for a Democratic triumph compelled us to prevent nigger votin, and thus given the States tu the Radical Hayes; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Corners, realizin the gravity of the sitooashen, and feelin the importance uv its ackshen, declares that it never will stand it, and it will never submit this outrageous interference with its rites; that it will never consent to the inoggerashen uv an Ablishnist, but will take up arms, and never lay em down till the last vestige of Radikelism is wiped out.

Resolved, That the Corners is for war, and that whether the Dimocrisy of the North submits or not, it never will.

Resolved, That we accept no compromise, but will hev all we claim or fite.

Resolved, That what we want is a Southern Republic, and a divorce forever from the North, such ez wuz contemplated in 1861, and for which we struggled till we wuz overcome by the power of the hordes which Linkin hurled upon us.

The resolooshens wuz passed yoonanimously, and three cheers and a tiger wuz given with a ferver ahat showed that the old war sperit hed survived, and that all that was nessary wuz an oppertoonity.

Just at this minit Joe Bigler rose and desired to make a few remarks. A native uv Kentucky, he shood go with his State, but he questioned the wisdom of goin. Ef we secede again, who is to pay the Southern war claims? He understood there wuz suthin over $200,000 of em in the Corners alone, and ef yoo cut off the North, who is to pay em?

Bascom growd pale, and hitched oneasily in his seat.

And then agin he sposed the brethren wich waz a thirtin for goar fondly imagined thet we hed a republic uv our own that every one of them wood hev a post-offis, and a collectorship. Fatal delcosion! The moment seceshun wuz established and the noo government formed there would be an influx uv Northern Democrats down here, who wood take every place in the gift uv the government. Fernandy Wood will come—

The meetin howled.

—Dirty shirt Dean wood come—

More howls.

—Little Sammy Cox wood come—

Increased howlin.

—The hundreds uv thousands wich expects offis under Tilden wood come, the repeeters wood come, Hewitt wood come, the litrary burrow wood move down here, and wat chance wood we hev, with sich strangers in our gates? And then think uv Trumbull, uv Palmer, think uv that vast army which hev bin in the minority in the North so long all a rushin down here, like grasshoppers in Nebrasky! The Ablishnist you kin shoot, but you can't shoot your frends. My frend Bascom, think uv hevin a hundred Nasbys all a goin on tick in place uv wun, and then think uv the poor South bein taxed to support em all.

Bascom hurriedly left the house.

There wuz a deep silence fell onto the house, and for a minnit every man uv us wuz wrapped in thot. Bigler resoomed:

"Think uv bein taxed for yoor own clames, and colleckshun bein enforced by bayonits! A Southern bayonit hez jest ez peekid an end ez a Northern wun, and—"

This prospect finished em. With one prolonged howl, they rose ez one man, and glided out uv the house. And afterward in Bascom's they wuz a talkin uv the advantages uv yoonyun, and swearin that nacher intendid the two seckshuns to live in harmony, and that ef the Northern Dimocrisy wantid war they wood hev to make it. I don't suppose I kin ever git them people into a meetin agin.

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LEGAL.

WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA, SS.—At Pittsburgh, on the 24th day of October, A. D. 1876. The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of Jas. H. Johnston, of Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny and State of Pennsylvania, within said District, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his creditors' petition by the District Court of said District.
m3-8 W. A. LEWIS, Assignee.

WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA, ss., at Allegheny, on the 28th day of October, 1876, the undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of JOSEPH S. REED and JACOB REED, in the city and county of Allegheny and State of Pennsylvania, within said District, who have been adjudged Bankrupts upon petition of Joseph S. Reed by the District Court of said District.
WM. O. McGOWAN, Assignee.
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PITTSBURGH, December 12, 1876.
NOTICE—I HAVE THIS DAY SOLD and transferred all my stock in the Anchor Savings Bank to WM. R. NIEBAUM.
m81 JOHN R. NIEBAUM.

PROPOSALS.

WESTERN STATE PENITENTIARY,
ALLEGHENY, Dec. 16, 1876.
PROPOSALS—SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until FRIDAY EVENING, 22d inst., for furnishing the following supplies for the use of the Prison, viz: FRESH BEEF—Per 100 pounds, free of bone. LUMP COAL and COARSE SLACK—To be delivered in large wagons. Each contract for one year from January 1, 1877. The Board of Inspectors reserve the right to reject any or all bids.
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PITTSBURGH, PA., October 19, 1876. k61

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RAILROADS.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD—On and after MONDAY, Dec. 11, 1876, Trains will leave Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows:
CITY TIME.

MAIN LINE EASTWARD.

PACIFIC EXPRESS daily, except Monday, at 2:56 a. m., arriving at Harrisburg 11:45 a. m., Philadelphia 3.45 p. m., New York 6.45 p. m.
MAIL TRAIN daily, except Sunday, 7:16 a. m., arriving at Harrisburg 8:15 p. m.
DAY EXPRESS daily, at 8:26 a. m., arriving at Harrisburg 3:55 p. m., Philadelphia 7:20 p. m., New York 10:15 p. m., Baltimore 7:35 p. m., Washington 9:07 p. m.
ATLANTIC EXPRESS daily at 12:51 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 11:05 p. m., Philadelphia 3:10 a. m., New York 6:15 a. m.
PHILADELPHIA EXPRESS daily, except Sunday, 4:31 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 2:40 a. m., Philadelphia 7:00 a. m., New York 10:05 a. m.
FAST LINE daily at 8:06 p. m.; arriving at Harrisburg 3:50 a. m., Philadelphia 7:35 a. m., New York 10:25 a. m., Baltimore 7:45 a. m., Washington 9:12 a. m.
JOHNSTOWN ACCOMMODATION 3:31 p. m.
WALL'S ACCOMMODATION 6:41, 10:21, 11:46 a. m., 2:41, 5.01, 5:46, 6:11, 11:31 p. m. Sunday 12:46 p. m.
BRINTON ACCOMMODATION 6:06 a. m., and 9:26 p. m. Sunday 9:26 p. m.
WILKINSBURG ACCOMMODATION 9:21 a. m., 1:41, 3:11, 5:21, 7:41 and 10:11 p. m.

MAIN LINE WESTWARD.

Trains arrive at Union Depot (city time) as follows:
Mail Train daily, except Monday......12:41 a. m.
Pittsburgh Express daily, except Monday 7:51 a. m.
Cincinnati Express daily..........8:11 a. m.
Pacific Express daily..........1:41 p. m.
Way Passenger daily..........8:26 p. m.
Fast Line daily..........11:11 p. m.
Johnstown accommodation..........10:26 a. m.
Wall's Accommodation 6:36, 9:01 a. m., 1:21, 3:41, 5:51, 7:11 and 7:56 p. m. Sunday 10:01 a. m.; 7:11 p. m.
Brinton Accommodation 7:41 and 8:16 a. m. and 11:16 p. m. Sunday 7:56 p. m.
Wilkinsburg Accommodation 7:11, 11:46 a. m., 3:06, 4:41, 7:31, and 9:21 p. m.

SOUTH-WEST PENN. RAILWAY.
NO CHANGE OF CARS.
Youghiogheny Express, except Sunday, 8:36 a. m.
Uniontown Express daily, except Sunday 4:26 p. m.
Trains arrive from Uniontown at 9:36 a. m. and 6:01 p. m.

WEST PENNSYLVANIA DIVISION.
From Federal Street Depot, Allegheny City, (city time):
MAIL TRAIN, connecting for Butler..7:11 a. m.
EXPRESS, connecting for Butler.......2:31 p. m.
BUTLER ACCOM., 9:31 a. m. Sunday at 7:46 a. m.
FREEPORT ACCOM..........4:56 p. m.
SPRINGDALE ACC., 9:16, 11:31 a. m., 6:16, and 11:31 p. m. On Sunday at 12:51 and 9:11 p. m.
SHARPSBURG ACCOM..........8:41 p. m.
MARKET TRAIN FOR BUTLER....3:51 p. m.
Trains arrive at Federal Street Depot (city time):
Express, connecting from Butler....9:58 a. m.
Mail Train, connecting from Butler....5:26 p. m.
Butler Ac. 1.06 p. m. On Sunday at 6:56 p. m.
Freeport Accom..........8:06 a. m.
Springdale Accom., 6:51 a. m., 3:51 and 7:16 p. m. On Sunday at 9:51 a. m. and 6:41 p. m.
Sharpsburg Accom..........9:51 p. m.
Market Train from Butler..........9:01 a. m.
The Excelsior Baggage Express Company will call for and check baggage from hotels and residences. Time cards and full information can be obtained at the Ticket Offices, No. 78 Fifth avenue and the Union Depot.
D. M. BOYD, Jr., General Passenger Agent.
FRANK THOMSON, General Manager.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILWAY, CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH RAILROAD.
On and after Dec. 4th, 1876, Trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, City Time, as follows:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Crestline Mail	6:12am	Atlantic Ex.	2:42am
Erie & Ash. Ex	7:27am	Wheeling Ex.	10:47am
Cl. & Wh'g Mail	8:32am	Chicago Ex.	12:27pm
Chicago Ex.	9:12am	Erie & Ash. Ex	2:42pm
Cl. & Wh'g Ex.	1:52pm	Chicago Mail	3:42pm
Pacific Ex.	2:12pm	Cleveland Ex.	3:52pm
Wheeling Ex.	4:17pm	Ch. & St. L. Ex.	7:47pm
Erie & War Ex	4:37pm	Cl. & Wh'g Ex.	7:57pm
Fast Line	11:42pm	Erie Ex.	11:27pm
Depart from Allegheny.		Arrive in Allegheny.	
Beaver Falls Ac.	6:47am	Leetsdale Ac.	6:42am
Leetsdale Ac.	10:27am	Leetsdale Ac.	7:27am
Leetsdale Ac.	12:07pm	Beaver Falls Ac.	8:12am
Sharpsville Ac.	1:12pm	Enon Accom.	8:47am
Leetsdale Ac.	2:37pm	Sharps & War ac	10:12am
Enon Accom.	3 37pm	Leetsdale Ac.	12:52pm
Leetsdale Ac.	5:12pm	Beaver Falls Ac.	2:12pm
Beaver Falls Ac	6:22pm	Leetsdale Ac.	4:32pm
Leetsdale Ac.	9:37pm	Leetsdale Ac.	7:22pm
Leetsdale Ac.	11:22pm	Leetsdale Ac.	10:02pm
Fair Oaks Sunday Church	12:42pm	Fair Oaks Sunday Church	9:52am

Pacific Express leaves Daily. Fast Line leaves Daily, except Saturday. Chicago Express arrives Daily. Atlantic Express arrives Daily, Mondays excepted. All other trains will leave and arrive daily, Sundays excepted.
F. R. MYERS, General Passenger and Ticket Agent.
J. D. LAYNG, General Manager.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI & ST. LOUIS RAILWAY. (Panhandle Route.)
On and after SUNDAY, Nov. 26, 1876, Trains leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows, Pittsburgh time:

DEPART.

Pacific Express	8:42am
Fast Line	11:32pm
Steubenville Accommodation	7:17am
Washington Accommodation	9:17am
McDonald's Accommodation	11:02am
Dennison Accommodation	3:52pm
Washington Accommodation	4:52pm
McDonald's Accommodation	6:12pm
Mansfield Accommodation	11:02pm
Sunday Church Train to McDonald	12:47pm
Sunday evening Ch. Train to Mansfield	9:42pm

ARRIVE.

Cincinnati Express	8:08am
Fast Line	7:57pm
McDonald's Accommodation	6:47am
Washington Accommodation	8:22am
Dennison Accommodation	9:42am
McDonald's Accommodation	2:02pm
Washington Accommodation	3:57pm
Steubenville Accommodation	5:32pm
Mansfield Accommodation	7:17pm
Sunday Church Train from McDonald	9:57am

Pacific Express and Fast Line leave daily.
Cincinnati Express Fast Line and Mansfield Accommodation arrive daily.
All other trains will run daily, except Sunday.
Sleeping Cars without change to Cincinnati, Louisville, Indianapolis and St. Louis.
D. W. CALDWELL, General Manager.
S. M. FELTON, Jr., Gen. Supt.
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BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.
PITTSBURGH DIVISION.
On and after SUNDAY, DEC. 4th, 1876, trains on this road will depart from and arrive at Depot, corner Grant and Water streets, as follows, Pittsburgh time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Fayette co. Ac.	7:10am	McKeesport Ac.	6:45am
McKeesport Ac	8:42am	McKeesport Ac.	7:40am
Through Mail	9:24am	W. Newton Ac.	8:35am
McKeesport Ac.	11:30am	Through Express	8:35am
McKeesport Ac.	3:20pm	Uniontown Ex	9:40am
Uniontown Ex.	3:55pm	McKeesport Ac.	12:40pm
McKeesport Ac.	4:35pm	McKeesport Ac.	2:00pm
W. Newton Ac.	5:58pm	Fayette co. Ex.	5:33pm
McKeesport Ac.	6:20pm	McKeesport Ac.	6:05pm
Through Ex.	7:00pm	McKeesport Ac.	7:32pm
McKeesport Ac.	11:15pm	Through Mail	8:20pm
Church Train	12:45pm	Church Train	10:05am
Church Train	9:30pm	Church Train	6:45pm
Through Ex.	11.00pm		

Through Express arrives daily. Through Mail arrives daily, except Sunday.
Accommodation trains and Fayette Co. express daily except Sunday.
Through Mail leaving at 9:24 a. m. daily, except Sunday, arrives at Washington 9:10 p. m., Baltimore 10:30 p. m., Richmond 7:05 a. m., Philadelphia 3:05 a. m., New York 6:25 a. m.
Through Express leaving at 7 p. m. daily, except Sunday, arrives at Washington 6:30 a. m., Baltimore 8.30 a. m., Richmond 11:30 p. m., Philadelphia 1:15 p. m., New York 5:05 p. m.
Through Express leaving at 11 p. m. Sundays only, arrives at Washington 12 noon, Baltimore 1:40 p. m., Philadelphia 6:50 p. m.
QUICK TIME TO MT. PLEASANT, CONNELLSVILLE AND UNIONTOWN.
Leave Pittsburgh 9:24 a. m., arrive at Connellsville 11:16 a. m., Uniontown 11:44 a. m.
Leave Pittsburgh 3:55 p. m., arrive at Connellsville 6:06 p. m., Uniontown 6:45 p. m.
Pullman Sleeping Coaches on Through Express and Elegant Day Coaches on Through Mail Trains.
Ticket Offices, Corner Fifth avenue and Smithfield street, and Depot, corner Grant and Water streets.
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On and after SUNDAY, Nov. 26, 1876, and until further notice, Trains will leave and arrive at the New Depot, corner Fourth avenue and Try street, Pittsburgh, as follows, Pittsburgh time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Monon. Mail	9:10am	Pittsburgh Ac.	8:37am
Monon. ac.	10:52am	Pittsburgh Ex.	10:31am
Monongahela ex	3:05pm	Pittsburgh Ac.	1:37pm
Monongahela ac	5:50pm	Pittsburgh Mail	5:20pm

Homestead accommodation leaves Ormsby at 6:00 a. m., returning, leaves Homestead at 6 22 a. m., running to Birmingham.
CHURCH TRAIN leaves Monongahela City every Sunday at 8:00 a. m., stopping at all points for passengers, and reaching Pittsburgh at 10:08 a. m. Returning, leaves Pittsburgh at 12:40 p. m., arriving at Monongahela City at 2:50 p. m.
All trains from Pittsburgh run through to Monongahela City.
Through connections to and from Brownsville and all intermediate points on the Monongahela river, daily, (except Sunday,) as follows: Leave Brownsville at 5:00 a. m. and 12 m., connecting to reach Pittsburgh at 10.31 a. m. and 1:37 and 5:20 p. m. Returning, trains leave Pittsburgh at 9:10 a. m., 3:05, 5:50 p. m., connect with Packets reaching Brownsville at 4:00, 8:45 and 11:00 p. m.
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LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Arnolds Park Accom	6:50am	Night Express	6:20am
Buffalo Ex.	8:15am	Arnolds Park ac	6:40am
S. Works Ac.	10:15am	S. Works Ac.	8:10am
Freeport Ac.	11:40am	Arnolds Park ac	9:55am
Titusville Ex.	1:55pm	Eml'ton & Reynoldsville Ac.	11:15am
Eml'ton & Reynoldsville Ac.	3:20pm	S. Works Ac.	1:45pm
Arnolds Park Ac	5:00pm	Titusville Ex.	2:35pm
S. Works Ac.	6:15pm	Freeport Ac.	6:00pm
Night Ex.	8:25pm	Arnolds Park ac	7:30pm
Arnolds Park ac	11:10pm	Buffalo Ex.	7:58pm

All Trains Daily, except Sunday.
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Abstract of Properties to be Sold by R. H. Fife, Esq., Sheriff, on Monday, January 1st, 1877, at 10 O'Clock A. M., at the Court House, City of Pittsburgh.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

Five hundred dollars of the price or sum at which the property shall be struck off, shall be paid to the Sheriff at the time of the sale, or by Friday, Jan. 5th, 1877, at 10 o'clock A. M., unless the purchase money shall be less than that sum, in which case only the purchase money shall be paid; otherwise the property will again, on Friday, Jan. 5th, 1877, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the same place, be put up and sold at the expense and risk of the person to whom it was struck off, who, in the case of any deficiency in such resale, shall make good the same; in case of the sale being for a very large amount, will demand that ten per cent. of the purchase money be paid in addition to the $500.

N. B.—For the benefit of our unprofessional readers, who do not understand the meaning of the letters and figures following the defendant's name, we make the following

EXPLANATION.

No. 2, Court of Common Pleas. No. 2 indicates the court of which the writ of execution was issued under which the sale is made; V. E., or Vend. Ex., Venditioni Exponas; L. F., or Lev. Fa., Levari Facias; F. F., or Fi. Fa., Fieri Facias, show the kind of writs; a Levari Facias is the writ of sale upon a mortgage, mechanics' lien, or a municipal lien; Venditioni, or Fieri Facias, upon an ordinary debt, or for ground rents; 44 J., '77, means No. 44 Jan. Term, 1877, the number and term of the docket entry; the following figures show the amount of the debt, and the name following is the name of the attorney issuing the writ.

JOHN P. MOORE.

No. 2, F. F., 4, J., '77. $500. GILL.

Lot No. 58 in C. B. Seely's plan, fronting 25 feet on the south side of Butler street, 70 feet west from Maddock street, Pittsburgh, running back 110 feet to Seely avenue. Plan Book, vol. 4, page 196 and 197.

FREDERICK BOESAND.

No. 2, L. F., 15, J., '77. $847.25.

C. MAGEE.

Lots Nos. 4 and 5 in Adolph Oberhelman's plan, fronting 65 feet on Catharine street, Thirty-fifth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 100 feet to Josephine street, (reserving the right and privilege of digging a well on the front or back part of said lots), and having thereon erected one frame building and spring house.

2D.

Lot No. 6 in said plan, fronting 40 feet on Catharine street, said ward, runnning back 100 feet to Josephine street, and having thereon erected a stable.

3D.

Lot No. 7 in said plan, fronting 40 feet on Catharine street, said ward, running back 100 feet to Josephine street.

HENRY HEIMERS.

No. 2, F. F., 27, J., '77. $200. LUTY.

Lot fronting 12 feet on Gist street, 58 feet from Locust street, Pittsburgh, running back 33 feet 6 inches, and having thereon erected a two-story brick dwelling house.

JOSEPH BAUMEISTER.

No. 2, F. F., 27, J., '77 $200. LUTY.

Lot No. 12 in Wm. Porter's plan, fronting 20 feet on Webster street, Pittsburgh, running back 100 feet, and having thereon erected a one-story frame dwelling. Plan Book, vol. 1, page 40.

JAMES CROZIER.

No. 2, V. E., 33, J. '77. $1,068.09.

MELLON.

Lot No. 6 in Baldwin and Cheney's plan, fronting 25 feet, 5½ inches on Braddock's street, 175 feet from Tonaluka street, Wilkins township, running back 128 feet to an alley 24 feet 5 inches.

2D.

Lot No. 17 in said plan, fronting 25 feet, 5½ inches on Halket street, 175 feet from Tonaluka street, said township, running back 133 feet to an alley 24 feet 5 inches, and having thereon erected a small frame barn.

JOSEPH H. CAMPBELL.

No. 2, L. F., 36, J, '77. $19,375.

ARTHRS.

Piece of land situate in the Twenty-second ward, Pittsburgh, bounded by lands of Eliza V. Diller, Howard Morton, J. E. McKelvy, Esther S. Blakely, John Clark, Chadwick heirs and Dillinger, containing 11 6-10 acres more or less.

HENRY STAUB.

No. 2, F. F., 40, J., '77. $1,111.39.

WOOD.

Piece of land situate in Shaler township, bounded by lands of Robert Woods, Wm. Shaw, John Thrastle, Florence Ryan and Hugh Miller, containing 160 acres, more or less, and having thereon erected three frame dwelling houses, three frame barns, two spring houses, out-buildings, &c., &c.

ADAM POTTER.

No. 2, F. F., 44,296, J., '77. $198.00 and $1,360.80. HALL.

Piece of land situate in North Fayette township, bounded by lands of Whitmore, Crawford, Robt. Potter, and heirs of Adam Potter, containing 103 acres, more or less, and having thereon erected a two story frame dwelling, frame stable and out-buildings. Deed Book, vol. 252, 316, 334, pages 369, 371, 427, 428, 385

ROBERT SCOTT.

No. 2, L. F., 46, J., '77. $413.80.

B. & L.

Lot No. 27, in Ernest Beese's alteration plan of section No. 5 in Joseph Patterson's plan, fronting 20 feet on Cedar street, Sixteenth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 120 feet to an alley 24 feet 7 inches wide. Deed book, vol. 275, page 338. Plan book, vol. 3, pages 6 and 7.

THOMAS C. MARTIN.

No. 2, L. F., 72, J., '77. $678 11

MCKENNA.

Lot No. 32, in Walsh & Wilbert's plan, fronting 39 feet on Bedford street, borough of Mt. Washington, running back along Louen street 200 feet. Plan book, vol. 4, pages 160 and 161.

ANDREW ACKLEY.

No. 2, L. F., 86, J., '77. $57,294.44.

GEYER.

Lots Nos. 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24, in plan laid out by Rebecca Ford and Thos. J. Gallagher, Adm'rs. of Marshal H. Ford, deceased, fronting 102 feet, on Washington avenue, Allegheny City, running back along Fremont street 120 feet and having thereon erected a brick building used as a slaughter house and ice house. Deed book, vol. 166, page 365.

2D.

Lots Nos 10 and 11 in said plan, fronting 42 feet on Ford street running back along Relief alley 103 feet to Peach alley, and having thereon erected three two-story brick houses. Deed book, vol. 181, page 112.

3D.

Lots Nos. 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, in said plan, fronting 102 feet on Washington avenue, running back along Relief alley 103 feet to Peach alley. Deed book, vol. 299 page, 603

4TH.

Piece of land situate in said city, bounded by land of John Taggart, other lands of Andrew Ackley and an alley 20 feet wide, and having thereon erected a two-story brick dwelling containing 12 rooms, and a frame stable. Deed Book, vol. 81, page 95

5TH.

Lot fronting 236 feet 10 inches on the north side of Carroll street, Allegheny City, running back along an alley 185 feet 3 inches. Deed Book, vol. 231, page 317.

ELIJAH BARKER.

No. 2, V. E., 88, J., '77. $150.00.

J. H. KERR.

Lont fronting 18 feet on the south side of South Diamond street, Fourth ward, Allegheny City, running back 60 feet and having thereon erected a two story frame house.

CHARLES SEITZ.

No. 2, V. E., 96, J., '78. $1,424 95.

GEYER.

Piece of land situate in Hampton township, bounded by lands of Brown & Allison, Samuel McCaslin heirs and the Allegheny & Butler plank road, containing 36 acres and 150 perches more or less, and having thereon erected a two-story frame dwelling, large barn, stable, spring-house, and other out-buildings. Deed Book, vol. 295, page 441.

CHARLES C. MUHLSTEIN.

No. 2, F. F., 97, J., '77. $781.35.

J. H. KERR.

Lot No. 19 and parts of lots Nos. 18 and 20 in Baum & Muhlstein's plan, fronting 60 feet 8 inches on Juniper street, Sixteenth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 65 feet 4½ inches, more or less, and having thereon erected two two-story frame dwellings.

2D.

Lots Nos. 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 in said plan, fronting 100 feet on Boundary street, Sixteenth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 126 feet 1½ inches, more or less. Plan book, vol. 3, pages 6, 7 and 317.

FREDERICK HAHN.

No. 2, L. F., 105, J., '77. $20,277.60. GILL.

Piece of land situate in Shaler township, adjoining land of Rodney's heirs, containing 4 acres and allowance. Deed book, vol. 203, page 374.

2D.

Piece of land situate in said township, bounded by lands of Wm. Souders, Rodney & Hahn, containing 4 acres and allowance of 6 per cent. for roads. Deed Book, vol. 211, page 607.

3D.

Piece of land situate in said township bounded by lands of Fred. Hahn, Martin Bowers, Frederick Wolf and line of Ross township, containing 10 acres and 140 perches. On said above described piece of land are erected one two-story frame house, with wine cellar, wagon shed, stable, barn, two story tenement house, hay shed, cow stable and wagon shed.

WM. M'COMBS, WITH NOTICE TO JOHN F. M'COMBS AND GEORGE M'COMBS, TERRE TENANTS.

No. 2, L. F., 107, J., '77. $8,694.00.

GILL.

Piece of land situate in the Twenty-first ward, Pittsburgh, containing 14 acres and 43 86-100 perches, being purpart No. 2 in the plan of the partition of the real estate of Mary McCombs, deceased, and having thereon erected one two story frame dwelling house.

VALENTINE FEHL AND ELIZABETH FEHL, HIS WIFE.

No. 2, L. F., 112, J., '77. $5,201.15.

F. & J.

Lot fronting 21 feet on the south side of Caldwell street, 81 feet 7¼ inches from Pride street, Sixth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 90 feet to an alley, and having thereon erected a two story brick dwelling house, No. 80. Deed Book, vol. 215, page 325.

JOHN GRANGER.

No. 2, F. F., 117, J., '77. $540. F. & J.

Lot No. 76½ in M. B. Brown's plan, fronting 40 feet on the north side of Main avenue, Boro Mansfield, running back 140 feet to Brown avenue. Plan Book, vol. 4, page 82.

CHARLES HARBACH.

No. 2, L. F., 127, J., '77. $435.33.

HERRIOTT.

Lots Nos. 124, 125, 126 in Breed's plan, fronting 60 feet on Fourth street, Borough McKeesport, running back along Centre street 119 feet. Deed Book, vol. 292, pages 463 and 464. Plan Book, vol. 4, page 28.

ANDREW SHUTZ.

No. 2, L. F., 128, J., '77. $210. LUTY.

Lot fronting 20 feet on the south side of Villa street, 180 feet east from Vinial street, Allegheny City, running back 65 feet to Spring alley.

SCOTT GRAHAM.

No. 2, L. F., 129, J., '77. $1,078.33.

A. & D.

Lot No. 14 in James Patterson's plan, fronting 20 feet on the east side of Fifteenth street, Twenty-eighth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 80 feet, and having thereon erected a two story brick building, &c. Deed Book, vol. 262, page 312.

JOHN W. EKIS.

No. 2, F. F., 130, J., '77. $2,400.00.

KOETHEN.

Piece of land situate in Bakerstown, Richland township, fronting 40 feet on the Allegheny and Butler plank road, running back 10 perches, containing 24 perches and 67 feet. Also lot adjoining the above described, bounded by lands of John Sterling, —— Austin and ——Staley. Also, 1 strip of ground in said village 165 feet in length and 3 feet 3 inches in width at one end and 2 feet 4 inches in width at the other, and having thereon erected a two story frame dwelling house, two story wagon shop, outhouses, &c. Deed book, vol. 241, page 415.

JOHN PHILLIPS.

No. 2, L. F., 134, J., '77. $235.08.

B. & N.

Two story frame house with back building and lot or curtilage appurtenant thereto, fronting 20 feet on the west side of Somers street, Pittsburgh, running back 80 feet.

SAMUEL THORP.

No. 2, L. F., 132, J., '77. $598.14.

J. H. KERR.

Lot No. 315 in Samuel Walker's plan, fronting 60 feet on Eighth street, borough Elizabeth, running back 120 feet to an alley, and having thereon erected a two-story frame dwelling house and a one-story frame dwelling. Deed Book, vol. 302, page 400.

GEORGE S NEELY.

No. 2, F. F., 136, J., '77. $1,210.75.

GEYER.

Piece of land situate in Moon township, bounded by lands of David McCallister, heirs of J. Ewing, Wm. Springer, Bryson Stevenson, P. H. Stevenson, Wm. A. Thomson and the Hookstown road, containing 40 acres more or less, and having thereon erected a two-story brick house, stable; also, orchard on said premises. Deed Book, vol. 337, page 356.

CHARLES ALVIS, ALIAS CARL ALWES.

No. 2, F. F., 154 and 263, J., '77. $1,200—$702.66. FRIEND-COHEN.

Lot No. 10 in Stevenson's plan, situate in L. St. Clair township, bounded by lands of Hughey Oldshoe and a road, containing 1½ acres, and having thereon erected a good dwelling house and other buildings. Deed Book, vol. 269, page. 17.

2D.

Lot No. 70 in McKain & Leckey's plan, fronting 23 feet on Leckey avenue, running back 150 feet and having thereon erected a two-story brick house. Plan Book, vol. 4, page 204.

GEORGE H. ADAMS AND AGGIE J. ADAMS, HIS WIFE.

No. 2, L. F., 166, J., '77. $2,753.66.

EMERY.

Piece of land situate in Killbuck township, fronting 8 perches on the Beaver road, running back 35 7-10 perches, more or less, containing 1 acre and 95 perches. Deed Book, vol. 277, page 137.

JOHN BROWN.

No. 2, L. F., 167. J., '77. $2,256 44.

BURGWIN.

Piece of land situate in Lower St. Clair towship, bounded by Barkhamer street and lands of Christian Ihmsen and John Brown, containing 8 acres and 2¼ perches, and having thereon erected five two-story frame dwelling houses, with out buildings.

PETER MINERT, DECEASED, IN THE HANDS OF JOHN MINERT, JR., AND MICHAEL CLOUSE, EXECUTORS.

No. 2, L. F., 169, J., '77. $10,328.85.

A. H. MILLER.

Lot fronting 50 feet more or less on the north side of North Canal street, borough Sharpsburg, running back along line of Sharp's heirs 175 feet more or less, and having thereon erected a three-story brick hotel and a two-story brick dwelling house, and a frame store room. Deed Book, vol. 298, Page 13.

CATHARINE RUSH.

No. 2, L. F., 171, J., '77. $1,155.00.

A. C. PATTERSON.

Lots Nos. 6 and 7 in A. C. Patterson's plan, fronting 48 feet on the New Brighton Road, Eleventh ward, Allegheny City, running back 98 feet to a 20 feet alley.

WILLIAM J. RADCLIFFE, WITH NOTICE TO JOHN M. OSBORNE, TERRE TENANT.

No. 2, L. F., 179, J., '77 $7,207.62. GILL.

Piece of land situate in the city of Pittsburgh, bounded by lands of George Negley, James Verner, Mrs. Kate R. Hill, Douglass' heirs, Mrs. Schenley, and a street 33 feet wide, containing 9 acres and 63.5 perches, strict measure, and having thereon erected one two story brick dwelling house, frame stable and outbuildings.

RICHARD E. BREED, WITH NOTICE TO NANCY LITTLE, ALEX. ROBB, THOMAS KENNELY, A. C. JOYCE, AND JOHN BANKS, AND G. S. BYRAN, AND DAVID MCKINNEY, TRUSTEES, AND M. BROWN, TERRE TENANTS.

No. 2, L. F., 180, J., '77. $49,098 39.

B. & L.

Piece of land situate in the Eighteenth ward, Pittsburgh, bounded by lands of Samuel Baird, John Bissell, the East Liberty road, and a 30 feet lane, containing 19 acres more or less.

GEORGE W. SPENCER, A. M. CAMERON, JOSEPH H. ELTON, AND A. W. ERWIN.

No. 2, L. F., 183, J., '77. $58,273.48.

S. SCHOYER, JR.

Piece of land situate in McClure township, fronting on the east side of the Allegheny and New Brighton road, adjoining lands of Wm. Dilworth, Jr., containing 39 acres and 105 perches.

WM. W. BROWN, DECEASED, IN THE HANDS OF ANNIE E. BROWN, WILL. C. DICKSON, A. M. CAMERON AND WM. HAMILTON, EXECUTORS.

No. 2, L. F., 184, J., '77. $4,647.21.

GEYER.

Lot No. 18 in Hugh S. Fleming's plan, fronting 186 feet on Back Lane, McClure township, running back 400 feet to a 15 feet alley, and having thereon erected a two-story frame house, with back buildings. Deed Book, vol. 253, page 66. Plan Book, vol. 4, page 139.

ISAAC N. THACKERAY.

No. 2, F. F., 186, J., '77. $825.00.

B. & L

Lot fronting 20 feet on the west side of Henry street, Seventh ward, Pittsburgh, running back along Our alley 48 feet and having thereon erected a two story frame dwelling house. Deed Book, vol. 228, page 161.

CHARLES EISENHEARDT.

No. 2, L. F., 188, J., '77. $321.20.

GEYER.

Lot No. 5 in Charles Hartman's plan, fronting 20 feet on Shady avenue, McClure township, running back 100 feet to Clay alley. Deed Book, vol. 193, pages 114 and 117. Plan Book, vol. 4, page 143.

JACOB CONRAD.

No. 2, L. F., 189, J., '77. $704 50 GEYER.

Lots Nos. 14 and 15, in Charles Hartman's plan, fronting 40 feet on Shady avenue, McClure township, running back 100 feet to Clay alley. Deed Book, vol. 119, page 117, 119 and 115. Plan Book, vol. 4, page 143

JOHN ALLEN.

No. 2, F. F., 199, J., '77. $1,500. LARGE.

Lot fronting 50 feet on Main street, borough Mansfield, running back along Chestnut street 140 feet to William street, and having thereon erected a two-story building of 7 rooms and outbuildigs. Deed Book, vol. 102, page 460.

K. C. L. WALTER.

No. 2, F. F., 200, J., '77. $1,350.

DICKEN.

Lot No. 515 in plan laid out by G. E. Warner, et al., fronting 25 feet on Bank Lane, Eighth ward, Allegheny City, running back 100 feet to Saw Mill alley, and having thereon erected frame house in front and brick on Saw Mill alley. Deed Book, vol. 185, page 619.

WILLIAM A. THOMPSON AND J. W. GUY.

No. 2, F. F., 202, J., '77. $898 12.

W. S. MILLER.

Piece of land situate in North Fayette township, bounded by lands of John Miller's heirs, Archibald Marshall and Wm. Short, containing 70 acres more or less, and having thereon erected a one-story frame dwelling, log barn, corn crib, wagon shed, and other outbuildings.

JOHN O. ELLIS.

No. 2, L. F., 203, J., '77. $518.95. A. & D.

The north one-half part of lot No. 103 in plan of the Homestead Bank and Life Insurance Company, situate partly in the Twenty-second ward and partly in Wilkins township, fronting 30 feet on Bank street, running back 120 feet to Cash alley. Plan Book, vol. 4, page 244 and 245.

SIMON SADLER.

No. 2, L. F., 204, J., '77. $1,469.71.

A. & D.

Lots Nos. 104 and 105 in plan of the Homestead Bank and Life Insurance Company, situate partly in the Twenty-second ward and partly in Wilkins township, fronting 61 17-100 feet on Bank street, running back along North street 120 feet to Cash alley. Plan Book, vol. 4, pages 244 and 245.

JOHN PETER DIETRICH.

No. 2, L. F., 205, J., '77. $943. A. & D.

Lot No. 42 in plan of the Homestead Bank and Life Insurance Company, situate partly in the Twenty-second ward and partly in Wilkins township, fronting 60 feet on West street, running back 120 feet to Spring Alley. Plan Book, vol. 4, pages 244 and 245.

JOHN PETER DIETRICH.

No. 2, L. F., 206, J., '77. $943.00.

A. & D.

Lot No. 141 in plan of the Homestead Bank & Life Insurance Co., situate partly in the Twenty-second ward and partly in Wilkins township, fronting 60 feet on West street, running back 120 feet to Spring alley. Plan Book, vol. 4, pages 244 and 245.

LOUIS BEAR.

No. 2, L. F., 207, J., '77. $390. A. & D.

Lot No. 286 in plan of the Homestead Bank & Life Insurance Co., fronting 20 feet on Sixth avenue, Mifflin township, running back 102 35-100 feet. Plan Book, vol. 4, pages 128 and 129.

H. T. MORRIS AND WM. J. A. KENNEDY.

No. 2, L. F., 208, J., '77. $2,360.40.

A. & D.

Lot No. 137 in plan of the Homestead Bank & Life Insurance Co., situate partly in the Twenty-second ward and partly in Wilkins township, fronting 151 75-100 feet on South street, running back 435 feet more or less. Plan Book, vol. 4, pages 244 and 245.

JAMES A. WIBLE, JR., OWNER, &C., AND SAMUEL BLACK AND WM. M'MILLAN, PARTNERS AS BLACK & M'MILLAN, CONTRACTORS.

No. 2, L. F., 210, J., '77. $424.22. LEWIS.

Two-story frame dwelling house, with frame kitchen and lot, or curtilage appurtenant thereto, fronting 23 feet 4 inches on the north side of Sherman street, borough Millvale, running back 130 feet to Hays alley. Deed book, vol. 316, page 607.

AUGUST J. ERICKSON AND MARY JANE, HIS WIFE.

No. 2, L. F., 211, J., '77. $1,676.58.

WILKINS.

Piece of land situate in Chartiers township, bounded by lands of —— Jamison and the township road, containing 1 acre and 1 6-10 perches, and having thereon erected a two story frame dwelling house. Deed book, vol. 258, page 53.

HENRY DICKSON.

No. 2, L. F., 218, J., '77. $17,049.49.

DICKEN.

Piece of land situate in Mifflin township, bounded by Third avenue, City Farm, Monongahela river and lands of W. W. Burchfield, containing 11 acres and 20 perches, and having thereon erected 8 brick dwelling houses and brick works, consisting of one two story brick engine house, 1 steam engine and appurtenances, 1 brick machine, 4 brick kilns, 12 ovens for drying brick, with railway, &c. Deed book, vol. 301, page 90.

A. K. BARR, WITH NOTICE TO WALTER BAUM, —— BAUM AND —— BAUM, MINOR CHILDREN OF E. H. BAUM, DEC'D, UNDER THE AGE OF 14 YEARS, TERRE TENANTS.

No. 2, L. F., 225, J., '77. $7,612 35.

F. & J.

Lot No. 13 in A. M. Barr's plan, fronting 81 feet on Roup street, Twenty-second ward, Pittsburgh, running back 274 31-100 feet, containing 82 77-100 perches.

2D.

Lot No. 14 in said plan, fronting 81 feet on Roup street, said ward, running back 270 feet, containing 80 39-100 perches, subject to streets and alleys. Plan Book, vol. 4, pages 22 and 23.

THOMAS L. GAMBLE.

No. 2, F. F., 226, J., '77. $2,000.

A. H. MILLER.

Piece of land situate in Scott township, being purpart No. 5 in the sub-division of the farm of Wm. Gamble, bounded by Chartiers creek and purparts Nos. 3 and 4, containing 22 acres and 83 perches, and having thereon erected a large two story frame dwelling house, frame barn and outbuildings; also, purpart No. 6 in said subdivision, adjoining above described tract, containing 22 acres and 116 perches. Deed Book, vol. 231, page 211.

WM. O. HUGHART AND SARAH M. HUGHART.

No. 2, L. F., 228, J., '77. $20,320.40.

S. SCHOYER, JR.

Lots 2 and 5 in plan of Upper Glenwood, fronting 284 62-100 feet on Second avenue, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh, running back 856 24-100 feet to Ross avenue, containing 5 A. and 125 5-100 P. Deed book, vol. 245, page 547. Plan book, vol. 3, page 290.

M. DORNIN.

No. 2, F. F., 230, J., '77. $346.50. COHEN.

Lot No. 1 in J. F. McNight's plan, fronting 90 feet on the Temperanceville and Noblestown plank road, West Mansfield, running back along Butcher's alley 297 feet to Chartiers creek, and having thereon erected a two story brick dwelling house, one tenement house and kitchen attached, slaughter house, stable, &c.

CONRAD SCHAD, DECEASED, IN THE HANDS OF MARGARETTA SCHAD, ADMINISTRATRIX.

No. 2. L. F., 236, J., '77. $1,230,20.

T. H. B. PATTERSON.

Lots No. 45 and 53 in David Grier's plan, fronting 20 feet in the north side of Gibbon street, 122 feet from Magee street, Eighth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 135 feet, 6 inches to Forbes street.

WM. P. M'MILLIN.

No. 2, F. F., 239, J., '77. $1,117.50.

A. H. MILLER.

Lot fronting 20 feet on the west side of Twenty-fifth street, 40 feet north from Mary street, Boro East Birmingham, running back 60 feet, and having thereon erected a two-story frame dwelling house, with back building.

JAMES A. M'MILLIN.

No. 2, F. F., 240, J., '77. $1,117.50.

A. H. MILLER

Lot fronting 20 feet on the west side of Twenty-fifth street, 20 feet north from Mary street, Boro East Birmingham, running back 60 feet, and having thereon erected a two-story frame dwelling house.

FRANZ SEIWORTH.

No. 2, F. F., 241, J., '77. $3,000

A. H. MILLER

Lot fronting 20 feet on the west side of Eighteenth street, Twenty-sixth ward, Pittsburgh, running back along Sarah street 92 feet to an alley 4 feet wide, and having thereon erected a two story brick dwelling house with two story frame house attached. Deed Book, vol. 220, page 104.

FRANZ SEIWORTH.

No. 2, F. F., 242, J., '77. $6,600.00.

A. H. MILLER.

Lot fronting 40 feet on the west side of Meadow street, borough East Birmingham, running back along Sarah street 96 feet, and having thereon erected one three story brick dwelling house, one two story frame dwelling house, frame shed, &c. Deed Book, vol. 194, page 185.

JAMES HAUGHEY.

No. 2, L. F., 245, J., '77. $480.30.

BALDWIN.

Lot fronting 16 feet on the north side of Washington avenue, 99 feet 3 inches west from Sedgewick street, Sixth ward, Allegheny city, running back 56 feet to the P. F. W. & C. Railroad, and having thereon erected a small one story frame dwelling house and other improvements. Deed book, vol. 335, page 582.

HERMAN WOHLER, WITH NOTICE TO FRANK FRANKHAUSER AND MARIA LOUISA FRANKHAUSER.

No. 2, F. F., 251, J., '77. $1,368.00.

MONRO.

Lot fronting 20 feet on the north side of Jane street, 54 feet 3 inches west from Twenty-fourth street, Twenty-fifth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 120 feet to Larkin's alley, and having thereon erected a two story frame dwelling house.

THEODORE KESTNER.

No. 2, F. F., 252, J., '77. $3,000.

A. & D.

Lots Nos. 89, 88 and part of 87 in Bell, Edwards & Breed's plan, fronting 50 feet on Breed street, Twenty-eighth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 97 feet 8 inches, more or less, to Manor street.

2D.

Lots Nos. 12 and 13 in plan laid out by Rt. Rev. M. O'Connor, situate in the Twenty-eighth ward, Pittsburgh, adjoining land of Harmer Denny's heirs.

3D.

Lot fronting 41 feet 3 inches on the south side of Breed street, Twenty-eighth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 97 feet to Manor street.

WILLIAM POLLOCK.

No. 2, L. F., 259, J., '77. $461.74.

CULBERTSON.

Two story frame house, containing six rooms, and lot or curtilage appurtenant thereto, fronting 50 feet on "G" street, borough of Verona, running back 125 feet. Deed Book, vol. 155, page 211.

EDWARD MAHONEY, DECEASED, IN THE HANDS OF MARY ANN MAHONEY, ADMINISTRATRIX.

No. 2, L. F., 260, J., '77. $642 90. B. & M.

Not fronting 21 feet on the north side of Franklin street, Sixth ward, Allegheny City, running back along Chartiers street 48 feet 3 inches, and having thereon erected a two-story frame dwelling house. Deed book, vol 263, page 32.

JAMES GILLESPIE.

No. 2, L. F., 264, J., '77. $753 50.

A. C. PATTERSON.

Lot No, 131 in plan of Robert Robb, trustee, fronting 24 feet on John street, Thirteenth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 132 feet to Mahon street. Plan book, vol. 2, part 2, page 172.

ROBERT ARBUTHNOT, WITH NOTICE TO HUGH CHAMBERS, TERRE TENANT.

No. 2, L. F., 266, J., '77. $2,194 96.

J. H. KERR.

Lot No. 83, in Richard L. Ewalt's plan, fronting 24 feet on Harris street, Pittsburgh, running back 100 feet to Long alley. Deed book—, vol. 239, page 660.

THE MASONIC HALL ASSOCIATION OF EAST LIBERTY.

No. 2, L. F., 271, J., '77. $2,996.43. SHIRAS.

Lot No. 10, in Levi Wilson's plan, fronting 34 4-10 feet on the south side of Penn avenue, Twentieth ward, Pittsburgh, running back along Washington street 100 feet to an alley.

2D.

Part of lot No. 9 in said plan, fronting 3 feet on the south side of Penn avenue, said ward, running back 100 feet to an alley, and having thereon erected a frame office and stable. Plan book—vol. 5, page 140.

DAVID CORNELIUS, WITH NOTICE TO WM. BLAKELY.

No. 2, L. F., 274, J., '77. $441.00.

HALL.

Lots Nos. 5 and 6 in W. J. Langfitt's plan, fronting 44 52-100 feet on the west side of Grant avenue, Boro Bellevue, running back 146 12-100 feet. Deed Book, vol. 328, page 442. Plan Book, vol. 5, page 216.

OWEN M'ELROY, WITH NOTICE TO THOMAS FRIAR, TERRE TENANT.

No. 2, L. F., 279, J., '77. $437.46.

GALBRETH.

Lot No. 51, in James L. Marshall's plan, fronting 40 feet on Walker avenue, Chartiers township, running back along Sycamore street, 118½ feet to Locust alley.

ADAM SCHADE.

No. 2, L. F., 280, J., '77. $767.23.

GALBRETH.

Lot No. 103, in Mellon's plan, fronting 25 feet on Main street, Robinson township, running back 100 feet.

HENRY CRAWFORD.

No. 2, L. F., 282, J., '77. $1,250. R. & S.

Lot No. 7, in Lewis Schrom's plan, fronting 14 feet 8 inches on Keatings alley, Seventh ward, Pittsburgh, running back 53 feet to an alley 4 feet wide, and having thereon erected a two-story brick dwelling house with basement. Plan Book, vol. 2, page 8.

JACOB RUSH AND ROBERT WASSON, WITH NOTICE TO JOHN HALL, PROVISIONAL ASSIGNEE IN BANKRUPTCY.

No. 2, L. F., 283, J., '77. $2,463 30.

HALL.

Lots Nos. 9 and 10 in Robinson, Abrams & Co., fronting 29 feet on Magnolia street, Sixth ward, Allegheny city, running back 55 feet, and having thereon erected a two two-story brick dwellings. Deed Book, vol. 313, page 221. Plan Book, vol. 5, page 92.

KASPER, OR CASPER FATH, WITH NOTICE TO H. C. BOWERS, TERRE TENANT.

No. 2, L. F., 284, J., '77. $6,291.70.

MUELLER.

Piece of land situate in Franklin township, bounded by lands of Jas. Thompson, Mrs. Nicholson, Keatter, Leight heirs, Bradford heirs and Andrew McCauley, containing 65 acres, more or less, and having thereon erected a frame dwelling, barn and appurtenances. Deed Book, vol. 228, page 206.

PETER LOTZ, OR LUTZ.

No. 2, L. F., 285, J., '77. $298.50.

I. N. PATTERSON.

Lot No. 14 in J. P. Eckert's plan, fronting 20 feet on Market street, Eleventh ward, Allegheny City, running back 112 feet to Humboldt. Deed Book, vol. 304, page 397. Plan Book, vol. 4, page 269.

AUGUST WASSMUTH.

No. 2, L. F., 286, J., '77. $314.87.

MONRO.

Two and one story frame dwelling house, with attic and lot or curtilage appurtenant thereto, fronting 27 9-100 feet on Lincoln avenue, Thirty-second ward, Pittsburgh, running back 84 91-100 feet, being lot No. 30 in A. P. Norton's plan. Plan Book, vol. 4, page 42.

JAMES WOODROW.

No. 2, F. F., 287, J., '77. $1,500.00.

LEWIS.

Piece of land situate in Fawn township, bounded by lands of Ezekill Miller, Jas. Irwin, Wm. Plummer, —— Boyd and a public road, containing 125 acres and 63 perches more or less, and having thereon erected a two-story frame dwelling house, frame barn, frame stable, spring house and outbuildings. Deed Book, vol. 327, page 520.

ALFRED C. PENTZ.

No. 2, L. F., 288, J., '77. $1,987.65.

TAYLOR.

Lots Nos. 55 and 56 in plan of Hiland avenue, fronting each 25 feet on Broadway street, Nineteenth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 124 feet to an alley.

WILLIAM IHMSEN, DECEASED, IN THE HANDS OF T. B. SWEARINGEN, EXECUTOR, AND MRS. JENNIE IHMSEN, EXECUTRIX.

No. 2, V. E., 293, J., '77. $11,456.57.

A. H. MILLER.

Piece of ground fronting 640 feet on the north side of Neville street, Twenty-eighth ward, Pittsburgh, running back along Ihmsen's alley 640 feet to Water street, and having thereon erected large and commodious buildings, factories and glass house, known as C. Ihmsen & Son's Glass Works.

2D.

Piece of ground fronting 430 feet more or less on Water street, said ward, running back between Thirteenth and Fifteenth streets to Monongahela river.

3D.

Lots Nos. 4, 5 and 6 in Wm. Ihmsen et al. plan, fronting 60 9-100 feet on Fifteenth street, said ward, running back to Ihmsen alley. Plan Book, vol. 4, page 94.

4TH.

Lot No. 14 in C. Ihmsen's plan, fronting 25½ feet on the west side of Wilkins street, said ward, running back 76 feet.

5TH.

Lot fronting 60 feet on the south side of Bingham street, said ward, running back along Eleventh street 55 feet.

REUBEN HEISTER.

No. 2, L. F., 294, J., '77. $1,199.53.

HALL.

Lot No. 1 in plan of Rich Hill farm, fronting 320 feet, more or less, on Montana avenue, Reserve township, running back along the Old Franklin Road 280 feet, more or less. Plan Book, vol. 5, page 50.

JACOB WILL, WITH NOTICE TO CHRYSOSTOM WILHELM, AND MARGARET WILHELM, HIS WIFE, TERRE TENANTS.

No. 2, L. F., 299, J., '77. $1,074.03.

MUELLER.

Piece of land situate in McCandless township, adjoining Nicholson district line, containing 133 acres and 21 perches, and allowance of 6 per cent. for roads, and having thereon erected one two story frame and log house, barn, hay shed, &c. Deed Book, vol. 250, page 402.

HENRY HEIMERS.

No. 2, F. F., 302, J., '77. $354.57.

B. & N.

Lot fronting 12 feet on the west side of Gist street, 48 feet north from Locust street, Fourteenth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 36 feet, and having thereon erected a two story brick tenement.

WM. P. WARREN (OR WARNER) AND SARAH M., HIS WIFE.

No. 2, L. F., 303, J., '77. $755.73.

R. B. PETTY.

Lots Nos. 45, 46 and 47 in plan of the town of West Elizabeth, fronting 120 feet on Washington street, running back 120 feet to Second street, and having thereon erected a brick dwelling house and other improvements, excepting and reserving thereout so much of said lots as was conveyed to Ludemus. Deed Book, vol. —, page —.

ANDREW ACKLEY.

No. 2, L. F., 305, J., '77. $11,938.

A. C. PATTERSON.

Lots Nos. 13, 14, 15 and 18 in plan of Cooperville, bounded by the Sewickley road, land of Geo. Quail, lots Nos. 17, 16 and lot No. 12 in said plan, containing 21 acres, 2 roods and 32 perches, strict measure. Deed Book, vol. 278, page 306. Plan Book, vol. No. 1, page 367.

R. M. EVANS, WITH NOTICE TO MARY B. RIDDLE, TERRE TENANT.

No. 2, L. F., 306, J., '77. $1,585.50.

A. C. PATTERSON.

Lot fronting 20 feet on the east side of Davis street, 120 feet from Wylie avenue, Seventh ward, Pittsburgh, running back 94 feet 7 1-2 inches, and having thereon erected a two story brick dwelling. Deek book, vol. 242, page 608.

R. M. EVANS, WITH NOTICE TO MARY B. RIDDLE, AS TERRE TENANT.

No. 2, L. F., 307, J., '77. $448.00.

A. C. PATTERSON.

Lot fronting 20 feet on the west side of Erin street, 120 feet north from Wylie avenue, Eleventh ward, Pittsburgh, running back 94 feet 7 1-2 inches, being lot No. 135 in J. Grosvenor Davis' plan. Deed book, vol. 241, page 324.

JOHN GANGWISCH.

No. 2, L. F., 309, J., '77. $1,109.57. COYLE.

Lots Nos. 56, 57, 58, 59 and 60, in section 7, Jos. Patterson's plan, fronting 100 feet on Elm street, Sixteenth ward, Pittsburgh; lot No. 56 running back 122 feet to a 20 feet alley; lots Nos. 57, 58, 59 and 60 running back 80 feet to land of Michael Schutz. Plan book, vol. 3, pages 6 and 7.

L. J. SCHALTENBRAND.

No. 2, L. F., 310, J., '77. $1,136.50. COYLE.

Lots Nos. 22 and 23, in section 4, Joseph Patterson's plan, fronting 40 feet on Laurel avenue, Sixteenth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 82 feet.

2D.

Lots Nos. 60 and 61, in said plan, fronting 40 feet on Juniper street, said ward, running back 80 feet. Deed book, vol. 271, page 258.

JACOB FURCH.

No. 2, L. F., 313, J., '77, $137.75.

CALLAHAN.

Lot No. 11, in plan of the heirs of Nicholas Voeghtly, Jr., dec'd, fronting 41 feet 6 inches on the south side of Green alley, Third ward, Allegheny city, running back 22 feet. Plan book, vol. 2, page 111.

N. FREDERICK DEMMLER.

No. 2, F. F., 316, J., '77. $400.

MUELLER.

Piece of land situate in Sewickley township, bounded by lands of Merriman heirs, William Leets, William Laird, and J. H. Mayer, containing 50 acres, more or less, and having thereon erected a frame dwelling house, barn, &c, excepting and reserving thereout 20 by 30 feet of ground for the purpose of a graveyard, subject to and use in common with J. H. Mayer, his heirs, of a private road running through said Mayer's land. Deed book, vol. 335, page 288.

JOHN GEORGE FISHER.

No. 2, F. F., 317, J. '77. $5,176.50.

M. & MCB.

Piece of ground fronting 100 feet on Pius street, Twenty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh, running back along land of Josephine Yard 474 feet 9¾ inces, and having thereon erected a frame building used as a brewery, brick dwelling house, frame dwelling house and out buildings. Deed book, vol. 3, page 18.

JOHN V. REID, DECEASED, IN THE HANDS OF JOHN F. EDMUNDSON, ADMINISTRATOR, WITH NOTICE TO R. H. PALMER, TERRE TENANTS.

No. 2, L. F., 318, J., '77. $5,889 87.

STRICKLER.

Lot fronting 17 feet on the north side of Ohio street, 17 feet east from Ark alley, Third ward, Allegheny City, running back 100 feet to a 10 feet alley, and having thereon erected a three story brick house, with out buildings. Deed book, vol. 266, page 284.

ED. EICHENLAUB AND MARGARET EICHENLAUB, HIS WIFE.

No. 2, L. F., 319, J., '77. $1,310.40.

W. L. SLOAN.

Lots Nos. 25 and 26 in Margaret Eichenlaub's plan, fronting 48 feet on the north side of Ann street, Etna borough, running back 100 feet, and having thereon erected a two-story frame dwelling house. Deed Book, vol. 2, page 197. Plan Book, vol. 4, page 248.

HENRY ATKINSON, WITH NOTICE TO —— CALHOUN, TERRE TENANT.

No. 2, L. F., 323, J., '77. $1,994 73.

R. & MCC.

Lot No. 67 and part of lot 68 in Richard L. Ewalt's plan, fronting 28 feet on Forty-fifth street, Pittsburgh, running back 100 feet to Long alley, and having thereon erected four two-story brick dwelling houses. Deed Book, vol. 238, page 120. Plan Book, vol. 2, page 131.

ADAM TESH AND ISABELLA TESH.

No. 2, L. F., 324, J., '77. $5,699.14.

R. & MCC.

Lots Nos. 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18 in John Brown's plan, fronting 128 feet 4 inches on the east side of Centre street, Borough Birmingham, running back along Manor street 128 feet 8½ inches to Franklin street, and having thereon erected one brick dwelling house and a frame dwelling, each two stories high, and out buildings. Deed Book, vol. 156, page 243.

SOPHIA SPELKER.

No. 2, F. F., 326, J., '77. $85.25. F. & J.

Lot No. 11 in Weddles' plan, fronting 25 feet on "G" street, Boro Verona, running back along Fifth street 125 feet. Plan Book, vol. 5, pages 66 and 67.

HENRY BAMBACH.

No. 2, L. F., 328, J., '77. $632.89.

MCCREERY.

Lot fronting 75 feet on Spring Garden Run Road, Reserve township, running back 200 feet to a 25 feet street, and having thereon erected a two story frame dwelling house. Deed Book, vol. 175, page 382.

PHILIP WELZ OR WILZ.

No. 2, L. F., 330, J, '77. $1,310.40.

PFLAUM.

Lots Nos. 16 and 17 in John Voeghtly's plan fronting 48 feet on the north side of Villa street, Seventh ward, Allegheny City, running back 100 feet more or less to a 20 feet alley, and having thereon erected a one story frame house and three frame buildings used as slaughter house. Deed book, vol. 162, page 156.

JOSEPH ORR.

No. 2, L. F., 332, J., '77. $2,984.62. LEWIS.

Lot No. 1, in Joseph Orr's plan, fronting 26.4 feet on the south side of Sycamore street, Borough Mt. Washington, running back 165 feet, and having thereon erected a large two-story frame dwelling house and out buildings. Deed book, vol. 280, page 421.

MILTON M'CLAIN.

No. 2, L. F., 333, 300, J., M. L. D., '77. $2,191.89, $75.37. LEWIS.

Lot fronting 40 feet on the north side of Middle street, borough Sharpsburg, running back along Mulberry alley 100 feet, and having thereon erected a large two-story frame building, used as a planing mill and carpenter shop, with steam boiler, engine, planing mill machinery, fixtures, lathes, &c., and outbuildings.

AUGUST OSWALD AND A. E. OSWALD.

No. 2, F. F., 334, J., '77. $400. SHANNON.

Lot No. 18 in Martin Voeghtley's plan, fronting 25 feet, more or less, on Villa street, Seventh ward, Allegheny City, running back along an alley 100 feet to Water alley, and having thereon erected a frame dwelling house and carpenter shop. Deed Book, vol. 245, page 490.

HENRY B. LANDWEHR AND JANE ELIZABETH, HIS WIFE, IN RIGHT OF SAID JANE ELIZABETH LANDWEHR.

No. 2, L. F., 335, J., '77. $4,333.00.

LAZEAR.

Piece of land situate in Penn township, bounded by lands of Caroline C. McMinn, Samuel Chadwick, Nancy Ferree and Jas. Chadwick, containing 17 acres and 141 perches. Deed Book, vol. 7, page 536.

R. H. GIBSON AND GEO. NELSON, WITH NOTICE TO THOMAS H. PATTERSON AND MATTHEW G. CLARK, ASSIGNEES OF T. H. PATTERSON, TERRE TENANT.

No. 2, L. F., 336, J., '77. $1,586.12.

I. N. PATTERSON.

Lot No. 13 in Alex. Patterson's plan, fronting 24 feet on the north side of Franklin street, 24 feet west from Lecky alley, Sixth ward, Allegheny city, running back 120 feet to an alley 24 feet wide, and having thereon erected a two-story brick house. Deed Book, vol. 335, page 229.

JOHN G. PATTON.

No. 2, L. F., 337, J., '77. $942.12.

WOODS.

Lot No. 150 in John McClurg's heirs' plan, fronting 24 feet on Mary street, borough of Ormsby, running back 109 feet, and having thereon erected a two story brick dwelling house, with frame kitchen and outbuildings.

JOSEPH ORR.

No. 2, F. F., 340, J., '77. $253.00.

A. M. BROWN.

Lot No. 5 in Joseph Orr's plan, fronting 30 feet on the east side of Railroad street, 161 feet north from Lowen street, Thirty-second ward, Pittsburgh, running back 120 feet, and having thereon erected a two story frame dwelling house, with back building. Plan Book, vol. 4, page 322.

WM. FORNOFF, WITH NOTICE TO JOHN FORNOFF AND GEO. J. FRASCH, TERRE TENANTS.

No. 2, F. F., 342, J., '77. $600.

T. M. MARSHALL.

Lots Nos. 2, 3 and 4 in Wm. Fornoff's plan, fronting 72 feet on the Perrysville Plank Road, Reserve township, running back about 97 feet to Front street.

2D.

Lots Nos. 9, 10 and 11 in said plan, fronting 72 feet on said road, and running back about 92 feet to Front street.

3D.

Lots Nos. 19 and 20 in said plan, fronting 48 feet on Front street, running back 100 feet to Hill street. Plan Book, vol. 4, page 159.

JOHN EHMER.

No. 2, F. F., 345, J., '77. $6,074 33.

B. & L.

Lot No. 312 and part of 313 in plan of Warner et al., fronting 43 feet 8 inches more or less on Main street, Eighth ward, Allegheny City, running back along line of Simon Wicht 190 feet more or less to Saw Mill alley, and having thereon erected two two-story brick houses fronting on Main street, and two two-story frame houses on Saw Mill alley. Deed Book, vol. 230, page 270.

R. H. BEATTY.

No. 2, F. F., 346, J., '77. $5,000.

STRICKLER.

Lots Nos. 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 17, 18, 20, 21, 22 and 25 in the Perchment plan, fronting each 23 feet on Lang avenue, Twenty-second ward, Pittsburgh, running back to a 10 feet alley. Also, lot No. 26 in said plan, fronting 27 50-100 feet on said avenue, running back to a 10 feet alley. Deed book, vol. 334, pages 666 and 667. Plan book, vol. 4, page 238.

2D.

Lot No. 35 in Mellon's plan, fronting 63 38-100 feet on Oak avenue, Twenty first ward, Pittsburgh, running back 65 62-100 feet to Scott street. Deed book, vol. 349, page 131. Plan book, vol. 4, page 212.

3D.

Lot No. 2 in Alexander Negley's plan, fronting 34 feet on Frankstown avenue, Nineteenth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 112 feet to Union alley, and having thereon erected two two-story brick dwellings and stores, with out building, Plan book, vol. 2, part 2, page 100.

4TH.

Piece of land situate in the Nineteenth ward, Pittsburgh, bounded by Penn avenue, Negley avenue, Broad street, and land of A. J. Davis, containing 1 acre and 115 perches.

5TH.

Lot fronting 120 feet on the south side of Penn avenue, Twentieth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 200 feet to a 40 feet street, and having thereon erected a two story frame dwelling.

6TH.

Piece of land situate in Versailles township, bounded by lands of John Brinton, Eli Coulter, S. Jones and Dirty Camp, containing 111 acres and 135 8-10 perches.

7TH.

Lot fronting 65 feet, more or less, on the east side of Beatty street, Nineteenth ward, Pittsburgh, running back along Margaret street 200 feet, more or less, and having thereon erected a two story brick house, frame stable and out-buildings.

CHARLES HARBAUGH.

No. 2, L. F., 348, J., '77. $2,432.54.

SHURTLEFF.

Piece of land situate in East Deer township, bounded by lands of Samuel Robertson, Lewis Peterson, Elizabeth McDowell and John C. Ross, containing 30 acres and 120 perches; also, all the bituminous coal underlying the above described land, together with the right of way of a road 16 feet wide.

MATTHEW MCINTYRE.

No. 2, V. E., 349, J., '77. $120.55.

REARDON.

Lot No. 3 in John Woolslayer's plan, fronting 20 feet on the township road, Sixteenth ward, Pittsburgh, running back to Laurel avenue, and having thereon erected a one-story frame house. Deed Book, vol. 260, page 113.

ANDREW F. BAUM.

No. 2, V. E., 350, J., '77. $1,455.50.

MELLON.

Lots Nos. 8, 9 and 10 in Sarah D. Barr's plan, fronting on Roup street, Twenty-second ward, Pittsburgh, running back to a 25 feet alley, lot No. 8, containing 1 acre, lot No. 9, containing 87 46-100 perches; on said lots is erected a large two-story dwelling house and other improvements. Lot No. 10, containing about 1 acre. Deed Book, vol. 251, page 376. Plan Book, vol. 4, page 22 and 23.

A. G. OAKLEY.

No. 2, V. E., 351, J., '77. $2,678.55.

GEYER.

Piece of land situate in Ohio township, bounded by lands of Sam'l Suster, James B. Blackhouse, deceased, Sam'l Richey, Thomas McMasters and Kilbuck run and road, containing 16 acres, 2 roods and 16 perches. Deed Book, vol. 155, page 306.

2D.

Piece of land situate in said township, bounded by lands of Daniel Winters Blackhouse, and lot No. 131 in Alexander's district, containing 25 acres. Deed book, vol. 155, page 309.

ROBERT S. SILL, MORTON HUNTER AND JOHN D. MARVIN.

No. 2, V. E., 352, J., '77. $1,821.50.

FRIEND.

Lots Nos. 7 and 8, in plan of Bowerstown, fronting each 24 feet on the Evergreen Hamlet road, running back 120 feet to Sill avenue, and having thereon erected a two story frame dwelling house. Plan book, vol. 6, page 37.

ANDREW D. MILLER.

No. 2, L. F., 354, J., '77. $57,832.93.

BRYANT.

Lot fronting 22 feet on the east side of Esplanade street, 198 feet south from Hemlock street, Third ward, Allegheny city, running back 120 feet to James street, and having thereon erected a two story brick dwelling house, with outbuildings. Deed book, vol. 100, page 360.

2D.

Lots Nos. 71, 72, 73, 74 and 70 in Robert Arthur's plan, situate in the Tenth ward, Allegheny City, bounded by Little Saw Mill Run Plank Road, Anna street and lots Nos. 69, 44, 45 and 75 in said plan; also, lot No. 27 in said plan, fronting 23 8-10 feet on Harriet street, running back to Morrison avenue. Deed Book, vol. 246, page 295. Also, the north half of lot No. 69 in said plan, fronting 21 feet on Anna street, running back 176 feet more or less to Little Saw Mill Run Plank Road. Deed Book, vol. 279, page 117. Also, lots Nos. 75, 76 and 77 in said plan, fronting 65 feet more or less on Little Saw Mill Run Plank Road, running back 88 feet more or less. Deed Book, vol. 171, page 208; also, lots Nos. 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51 and 52 in said plan, fronting 200 feet on Little Saw Mill Plank Road, running back 150 feet. Deed Book, vol. 165, page 532. All of said lots, except lot No. 27, being contiguous to and forming one piece of land, containing about 1¾ acres, whereon are erected sundry buildings and structures, formerly used as an oil works. Plan Book, vols. 2 and 3, pages 53 and 109.

WM. A. M'LAUGHLIN.

No. 2, F. F., 354½, J., '77. $728.66.

PORTER.

Lot No. 99 in J. G. Davis' plan, fronting 21 feet on the south side of Webster avenue, Eleventh ward, Pittsburgh, running back 100 feet, together with the right of way 4 feet wide across lots Nos. 97 and 98 and along the line of lot No. 106 to Davis street.

R. F. HUNTER.

No. 2, F. F., 355, J., '77. $550.

J. D. SHAFER.

Lots Nos. 79 and 80 in plan of the Homestead Bank and Life Insurance Company, fronting 120 feet on Third avenue, Mifflin township, running back 110 feet to Beech alley. Plan Book, vol. 4, page 128 and 129.

WILLIAM NANZ.

No. 2, F. F., 356, J. '77. $116.50. ROSS.

The west part of lot No. 1 in Ogden & Showden's plan, fronting 25 feet on Chestnut street, Thirty-sixth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 70 feet to Saw Mill Run, and having thereon erected a two-story brick dwelling house with appertenances.

CASPER GEORGE AND THOMAS GEORGE.

No. 2, F. F., 357, J., '77. $224.70.

MCCREERY.

Piece of land situate in Marshall township, bounded by lands of Thomas Atkinson, —— Headland, —— Sala, and Tobias Kohe, and line of Beaver county, containing 50 acres more or less. Will Book, vol. 19, page 12.

HENRY D. FRAZIER AND REBECCA J., HIS WIFE.

No. 2, L. F., 365, J., '77. $510.55.

DE CAMP.

Lot No. 18 in "Block B," Wm. Phillips' plan, fronting 86 feet on South avenue, Penn township, running back 301 feet. Plan Book, vol. —, page —.

JACOB BAESLER OR GEORGE JACOB BAESLER.

No. 2, F. F., 361 and 362, J., '77. $860—$600.86. WHITE.

Lots Nos. 1 and 2 in Henry Waldschmidt's plan, situate in Kilbuck township, bounded by Kilbuck run, 33 feet street, land of Joseph Haupt and lot No. 3 in said plan, and having thereon erected a dwelling and other outbuildings. Deed Book, vol. 271, page 395.

2.

Piece of land situate in said township, bounded by Kilbuck Run and lands of Houpt and others, containing 2¼ acres more or less, and having thereon erected a frame dwelling and other buildings. Deed Book, vol. 258, pages 282 and 364.

CHRISTIAN IHMSEN, DECEASED, IN THE HANDS OF FREDERICK IHMSEN, EXECUTOR, WITH NOTICE TO ELIZABETH IHMSEN (NOW MCLAUGHLIN) AND JAS. E. LEDLIE, EXECUTORS OF CHAS T. IHMSEN, DECEASED, JEANNIE IHMSEN, FREDERICK L. IHMSEN AND T. BRENT SWEARINGEN, EXECUTORS OF WM. IHMSEN, DECEASED, TERRE TENANTS.

No. 2, L. F., 363, J., '77. $10,332.80.

COYLE.

Lot fronting 20 feet on Second street, city of Pittsburgh, running back towards First street about 80 feet. Deed book, vol. 71, page 147.

2D.

Lot fronting 20 feet on First street, said city, running back towards Second street 79½ feet.

3D.

Lot fronting 20 feet on First street, said city, and running back towards Second street 80 feet. Deed Book, vol. 116, page 564.

PETER MILLER AND CATHARINE MILLER, HIS WIFE.

No. 2, L. F., 364, J., '77. $3,386.03.

PORTER.

Lots Nos. 49, 50 and 51, in John Woolslayer's plan, fronting 66 feet 5 inches on a 50 feet street, Sixteenth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 101 feet to a 20 feet alley. Deed book, vol. 294, page 88. Plan book, vol. 4, pages 38 and 39.

ELIZABETH BLETTNER, WITH NOTICE TO HENRY BLETTNER, HUSBAND OF SAID ELIZABETH.

No. 2, L. F., 365, J., '77. $1,097.67.

KOETHEN.

Lot No. 135, in Anna H. Irwin's plan, fronting 20 feet on Forty-fifth street, Pittsburgh, running back 100 feet to Cedar alley, and having thereon erected a two story frame house and outbuildings. Deed book, vol. 311, page 70. Plan book, vol. 3, page 158.

CHARLES F. BAUER.

No. 2, L. F., 366, J., '77. $2,965.06.

PETTY.

Lot fronting 22 feet on the west side of Chatham street, 161 feet north from Penna. avenue, Pittsburgh, running back 100 feet, and having thereon erected a two-story brick dwelling house. Deed book, vol. 81, page 514.

JOHN S. MILLER.

No. 2, L. F., 367, S., '77. $1,840.42.

F. & J.

Lot fronting 15 feet 8 inches on the west side of Fulton street, 100 feet from Washington street, Sixth ward, Allegheny City, running back 48 feet. Deed book, vol. 280, page 55.

JOHN KELLY, WITH NOTICE TO EDWARD DEAN AND EDWARD KELLEY, TERRE TENANTS.

No. 2, F. F., 368, J., '77. $1,166 00.

MARSHALL KELLY.

Lot fronting 26 feet 3 inches on the south side of Wylie avenue and 46 feet 4 inches on High street, Fifth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 50 feet to an alley 3 feet wide, and having thereon erected 2 two-story brick houses.

LOUIS LOWRY, DECEASED, IN THE HANDS OF JOSEPH MITCHELL, ADMINISTRATOR, WITH NOTICE TO THOS. A. MORELAND, TERRE TENANT.

No. 2, L. F., 369, J., '77. $1,979.60.

KOETHEN.

Lot fronting 72 85-100 feet on the south side of a 40 feet street, 200 feet from Penn avenue, Pittsburgh, running back 113 4-100 feet more or less to Roup's line. Deed book, vol —. page —.

VICTOR E. KLAGES.

No. 2, L. F., 370, J., '77. $4,044.68.

S. C. SCHOYER.

Piece of land situate in McClure township, bounded by lands of Eliza C. Leaky, Hugh Davis, and a 20 feet road, containing 2 acres, 3 roods and 4 1-10 perches. Deed Book, vol. 262, page 455; excepting and reserving thereout lot fronting 150 feet on said 20 feet street, running back 115 feet, conveyed to James Boardman et al. Also, excepting and reserving thereout three lots fronting 80 feet on a 30 feet street, running back 125 feet to an alley 25 feet wide, conveyed to Jacob Boolyer, dec'd. Also, excepting and reserving thereout lot 20x125, conveyed to James L. Boardman.

WILLIAM GALBRETH AND ELIZABETH GALBRETH, HIS WIFE.

No. 2 L. F., 371, J., '77. $2,400. MCKENNA.

Lot fronting 20 feet on Ford street, 42 feet from Fremont street, Second ward, Allegheny City, running back 103 feet to Peach alley, and having thereon erected two two-story frame houses.

JACOB SCHIMMER.

No. 2, L. F., 372, J., '77. $7,168. B. & L.

Piece of land situate in the Eleventh ward, Allegheny City, bounded by Shady avenue and lands of Seibert and Wilhelmina Schimmer. Deed Book, vol. 244, page 396; excepting and reserving thereout blocks 1, 4, 5 and 7 in plan of said Schimmer, and having thereon erected a one and one-half story frame house, frame stable and frame sheds. Plan Book, vol. 4, page 240.

CHARLES REISS.

No. 2, L. F., 373, J., '77. $812.02. F. & J.

Lot fronting 260 feet more or less on a 40 feet street, McClure township, adjoining lands of John Lapish. Deed book, vol. 288, page 211.

WILLIAM DILWORTH, JR.

No. 2, L. F. 374, J., '77. $10,951.50. REED.

Lot fronting 33 feet on Stockton avenue, First ward, Allegheny City, running back along line of Geo. Shiras', Jr., 240 feet to Park Way and having thereon erected a three story brick dwelling house (being No. 4 Stockton avenue) and out buildings. Deed book, vol. 334, page 455.

JAMES WILSON.

No. 2, L. F., 375, J., '77. $2,983.86.

S. & W.

Lots Nos. 9, 10 and 11 in George Erdner's plan, fronting 67 feet more or less on the Butler plank turnpike road, borough of Etna, running back 100 feet more or less to Clark alley, and having thereon erected a two-story brick dwelling house. Deed Book, vol. 300, page 307. Plan Book, vol. 4, pages 156 and 157.

JOHN B. STEWART.

No. 2, V. E., 376, J., '77. $1,840.

BRYANT.

Parts of lots Nos. 11 and 12 in plan of Lawrenceville, fronting 44 feet on Forty-first street, Seventeenth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 143 feet 2 inches more or less to old Ewalt line, and having thereon erected a two-story brick dwelling house with out-buildings.

JOHN HALL.

No. 2, V. E., 377, J., '77. $1,916.94.

WOODS.

Piece of land situate in Robinson township, bounded by lands of Gen. William Marks, Mary Phillips, Joseph Phillips' heirs, Wm. Sterling, Wm. Hall, John Riddle and other lands of John Hall, containing 140 acres and 85¼ perches, strict measure.

2D.

Piece of land situate in said township, bounded by lands of John McCloskey, Wm. Sterling, Wm. Hall and other lands of John Hall, containing 6 acres and 26 perches, strict measure. On said described land are erected a two story frame dwelling house, brick barn and other buildings; also, orchard, &c. Deed book, vol. 109, page 143.

D. A. M'DONALD, IMPLEADED WITH J. S. M'DONALD, PARTNERS AS D. A. & J. S. M'DONALD.

No. 2, V. E., 378, J., '77. $6,545.72.

T. H. B. PATTERSON.

Piece of land situate in Aleppo township, bounded by lands of G. E. Warner, James McKeon and the P. F. W. & C. R. R., and the Beaver Road, containing 5 acres, strict measure, and having thereon erected one large frame two story mansion house of ten rooms, two two-story frame stables, one large ice house, and other out-buildings.

2D.

Piece of land situate in said township, bounded by the Beaver road and lands of —— Sands, Geo. W. Cass, and Jno. Mitchell, containing 3 acres and 75 perches, more or less, and having thereon erected two one and one-half story, 41 by 70 feet, frame building used as propogating houses and tenements in the poultry business, and having the necessary out buildings and equipments therefor thereto attached, and having also thereon erected one two-story frame dwelling house of six rooms.

3.

Piece of land situate in said township, bounded by lands of Geo. W. Cass, T. H. Nevin, David Sands, and the last above described piece, containing 7 acres, 3 roods and 33 perches. Deed Book, vol. 205, page 221. Excepting and reserving thereout piece of ground containing 6,000 square feet. Deed Book, vol. 211, page 274. And having thereon erected one two-story frame dwelling house, 12x12; one frame poultry shed, 180x6; one one-story frame poultry shed, 64x6; and one one-story frame double poultry shed, 32x12, the last two above described tracts being known as the chicken farm.

4TH.

Piece of land situate in said township, bounded by lands of Matt Ewing, Geo. W. Cass, and the last above described, containing 16 perches more or less. Deed Book, vol. 285, page, 210.

JAMES SEXTON AND PETER RADO, DEC'D., IN THE HANDS OF HIS ADMINISTRATOR, CHAS. W. RADO.

No. 2, L. F., 379, J., '77. $3,254.

J. A. WILSON.

Lot fronting 20 feet on the east side of Beaver avenue, 20 feet north from Washington avenue, Sixth ward, Allegheny City, running back 120 feet to Evans alley, and having thereon erected a three story brick building. Deed Book, vol. 238, 243, page 441, 458.

MARTIN FAHEY AND JANE, HIS WIFE, ALIAS JANE M'DERMOTT.

No. 2, L. F., 386, J., '77. $2,081.69.

MCKENNA.

Lot No. 65 in C. H. Love's plan, fronting 20 feet on the north side of Berthoud street, Thirteenth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 91 feet 8 inches to Locust alley, and having thereon erected a two-story frame dwelling house. Plan Book, vol. 4, page 34 and 35.

JAMES BRYAR AND WM. HENRY, WITH NOTICE TO GEO. THOMPSON, ASSIGNEE AND TERRE TENANT.

No. 2, L. F., 387, J., '77. $20,214.19.

SHIRAS.

Lot No. 22 in R. H. Negley's plan, fronting 24 feet on the west side of Negley avenue, Nineteenth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 110 feet to an alley 20 feet wide. Plan Book, vol. 4, page 123.

2D.

Lots Nos. 3, 4 and 5, in W. P. Baum's plan fronting 150 feet on the south side of Beitler street, Twentieth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 124 44-100 feet to Penna. R. R., and having thereon erected a large two story planing mill with engine, machinery, &c., and frame office. Plan book, vol. 3, pages 86 and 87.

3D.

Lots Nos. 45, 46 and 47, in Linhart's plan fronting 216 feet on the south side of Pine street, Pittsburgh, running back along Well street 130 feet to land of Rankin, and having thereon erected a two story brick dwelling house. Plan book, vol. 3, page 145.

4TH.

Lots Nos. 6 and 7, in John Hendricks' plan fronting 56 feet on the north side of Reynolds avenue, Twenty-second ward, Pittsburgh, running back to an alley 15 feet wide. Plan book, vol. 5, page 164.

THE BELLEVUE CEMETERY OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

No. 2, V. E., 388, J., '77. $2,491.64.

SHIRAS.

Piece of land situate in the Tenth ward, Allegheny City, bounded by lands of H. S. Fleming and West End avenue, containing 41 acres and 157 perches, and having thereon erected a large two-story brick dwelling house, porters lodge and outbuildings. Mortgage Book, vol. 165, page 499.

WM. BURNS.

No. 2, L. F., 389, J., '77. $3,911.25.

B. & L.

Lots Nos. 35 and 36 in Joseph Patterson's plan, fronting 40 feet on Juniper street, Sixteenth ward, Pittsburgh, lot No. 35 running back 174 feet to Penn. R. R., lot No. 36, running back 166 feet to Penn. R. R., and having thereon fruit trees, vines and shubbery, and enclosed with a fence.

LEVI WILSON.

No. 2, L. F., 390, J., '77. $10,067.

T. H. B. PATTERSON.

Lot No. 9 in plan laid out by Dr. Wm. Woods for Levi Wilson, fronting 30 feet on Penn avenue, Twentieth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 100 feet to a 20 feet alley. Also, lot No. 10 in said plan, fronting 34 feet 4 inches on Penn avenue, said ward, running back along William street 100 feet to an alley. Also, lot No. 11 in said plan, fronting 23 1-10 feet on Hiland avenue, said ward, running back along an alley 101 13-100 feet. Also, lot No. 12 in said plan, fronting 20 20-100 feet on Hiland avenue, said ward, running back 94 2-10 feet. Also, lot No. 13 in said plan, fronting 22 feet on William street, running back along an alley 94 2-10 feet. Also, lot No. 14 in said plan, fronting 22 feet on William street, running back 94 2-10 feet, and having thereon erected one brick mansion house with garret, frame stable, two frame offices, carriage house, &c. Will book 16, page 409.

JOHN GRAZIER AND ROBERT GRAZIER.

No. 2, L. F., 392, J., '77. $11,174.90.

R. & O.

Piece of land situate in North Versailles township, bounded by lands of Beatty's heirs, Wallace, Michael's heirs, Steinheimer heirs, Carpenter heirs, and Walls, containing 213 acres and 77 perches. Deed book, vol. 272, page 321, excepting, however, all the land comprised in the plan of lots laid out by John Grazier. Plan book, vol. 4, pages 312 and 313. Also piece of land containing 1 acre and 98 34-100 perches, conveyed to Francis Wall. Deed book, vol. 294, page 565. On said property are erected a two story frame dwelling house and frame barn.

LEWIS STRAUSS WITH NOTICE TO H. J. ULRICH, TERRE TENANT.

No. 2, L. F., 393, J., '77. $1,840.00.

LUTY.

Lots Nos. 31, 32, 33, 34 and 35 in Dr. E. A. Mayes' plan, fronting 159 79-100 feet on the east side of Ormsby street, L. St. Clair township, running back along an alley 111 82-100 feet, excepting and reserving thereout all the bituminous coal underlying same, together with the right to enter, dig and carry away said coal. Plan Book, vol. 4, page 155.

MARIA BODEN.

No. 2, F. F., 394, J., '77. $100.

J. P. BROWN.

Lot No. 101 in John Brown's plan, fronting 20 feet on the north side of Spring street, Pittsburgh, running back 80 feet, and having thereon erected a two story frame dwelling house. Plan Book, vol. 4, page 273.

GEORGE K. ORMOND.

No. 2, F. F., 395, J., '77. $18,883.37.

KENNEDY.

Lot fronting 80 feet on the north side of Carson street, 140 feet east from Joseph street, Boro East Birmingham, running back 120 feet to an alley, and having thereon erected four brick buildings two-storys high in front and three-storys high in rear, occupied as stores, halls and dwellings.

JOHN F. WORLEY AND A. S. GLOSSER.

No. 2, L. F., 397, J., '77. $1,006.10.

LUTY.

Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 in H. M. Rolfe's plan, fronting 96 feet on Hickman street, Thirty-second ward, Pittsburgh, running back 102 feet 5¾ inches to Pheil street. Deed Book, vol. 294, page 597. Plan Book, vol. ——, page ——.

JOHN A. WILSON.

No. 2, L. F., 398, J., '77. $2,079.69.

SIPE.

Lot fronting 39 feet 9¾ inches on Crawford street, Eighth ward, Pittsburgh, running back along Webster avenue 51 11¾-12 feet, and having thereon erected a two-story frame tenement house. Deed Book, vol. 286, page 19.

JAMES MCGREGGOR.

No. 2, L. F., 399, J., '77. $21,275.

PURVIANCE.

Lot No. 3 in Wm. Jancy's plan, fronting 20 feet on the Pittsburgh and Greensburg turnpike road, Pittsburgh, running back 100 feet to an alley 15 feet wide. Plan book, vol. 3, page 124.

RICHARD S. WARING.

No. 2, L. F., 400, J., '77. $20,770.

PURVIANCE.

Part of lot No. 2 in Charles B. Taylor's plan, fronting 231 feet on the south side of the Pittsburgh, Farmers and Mechanics' turnpike, Fourteenth ward, Pittsburgh, and running back 1,323 feet 5 inches to land of R. C. Schmertz, containing 7 acres 89 56-100 perches, and having thereon erected a large two story brick dwelling house, with Mansard roof, out buildings, etc. Deed book, vol. 239, page 472. See deed book, vol. 51, page 407, for Charles B. Taylor's plan above referred to.

JOSIAH K. PHILLIPS AND ANNIE E. PHILLIPS, HIS WIFE.

No. 2, L. F., 401, J., '77. $355 07.

GALBRETH.

Part of lot No. 5 in Nelson & Corcoran's plan, fronting 37 feet and 6 inches on the west side of West Boundary street, 70 feet north from Point street, borough of Chartiers, running back 103 feet. Plan Book, vol. 5, page 65.

JOHN S. BELL AND ELIZA BELL, HIS WIFE, OWNERS OR REPUTED OWNERS.

No. 2, L. F., 404, J., '77. $579 34.

MCKENNA.

Two story frame dwelling house and lot or piece of ground appurtenant thereto, situate in McClure township, bounded by lands of James Graham, Hugh Davis' heirs and Jack's Run, containing 144¼ perches.

UNKNOWN OWNER.

No 2, L. F., 347, July '72, M. L. D. $78.75.

BIGELOW.

Lot fronting 20 feet on the east side of Eighteenth street, 40 feet north from Jane street, borough East Birmingham, running back 60 feet.

MARY M'GRAW.

No. 2, L. F., 22, Jan., '74, M. L. D. $80 50.

BIGELOW.

Lot fronting 20 feet on Harrison street, Seventeenth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 100 feet.

MRS. WHARTON.

No. 2, L. F., 48, Apl., '75, M. L. D. $742.44.

BIGELOW.

Lot fronting 120 feet on the west side of Twenty-fifth street, Twenty-fifth ward, Pittsburgh, running back along Wright's alley to Twenty-fourth street.

MRS. WHARTON.

No. 2, L.F., 49, Apl., '75, M. L. D. $1,484 88.

BIGELOW.

Lot fronting 264 feet on the west side of Twenty-fifth street, Twenty-fifth ward, Pittsburgh, running back along Sidney street about 120 feet.

C. KUNTZ.

No. 2, L. F., 81, Apl., '75, M. L. D. $150.

BIGELOW.

Lot fronting 72 feet on the north side of Spruce street, Fifteenth ward, Pittsburgh, running back about 120 feet.

SARAH ANGLES.

No. 2, L. F., 73, July, '75, M. L. D. $213.80.

BIGELOW.

Lot fronting 72 feet on the west side of Redoubt alley, First ward, Pittsburgh, running back about 120 feet.

M. BENDER.

No. 2, L. F., 93, July, '75, M. L. D. $484.

BIGELOW.

Lot fronting 65.6 feet on the south side of Liberty avenue, Sixteenth ward, Pittsburgh, running back about 120 feet.

WM. HOSACK.

No. 2, L. F., 103, July, '75, M. L. D. $50.18.

BIGELOW.

Lot fronting 20 feet on the north side of Liberty avenue, Twentieth ward, Pittsburgh, running back about 120 feet.

WM. RAMSEY.

No. 2, L. F., 110, July, '75, M. L. D. $50.18.

BIGELOW.

Lot fronting 20 feet on the north side of Liberty avenue, Twentieth ward, Pittsburgh, running back about 120 feet.

L. S. JOHNS.

No. 2, L. F., 74, Oct., '75, M. L. D. $2,994.80.

BIGELOW.

Lot fronting 644.5 feet on the west side of Forty-second street, Seventeenth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 120 feet, more or less, excepting and reserving thereout lots Nos. 4, 5 and 6 in plan No. 1, "Purpart B," fronting each 25 feet on Main street; also, lots situate on Forty-second street, and known as lots Nos. 28, 35, 44 and 48 in said plan.

WILLIAM CARR.

No. 2, L. F., 4., Jan., '76, M. L. D. $1,100.

BIGELOW.

Lot fronting 1266.80 feet on the north side of Fifth avenue, Twentieth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 120 feet more or less.

GENERAL ROWLEY AND MRS. MARY HUNTER'S HEIRS.

No. 2, L. F., 37, Jan., '76, M. L. D. $260.50.

BIGELOW.

Lot fronting 25 feet on Crawford street, Eighth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 41 feet.

FRANK SELLERS.

No. 2, L. F., 9, April, '76, M. L. D. $650.40.

BIGELOW.

Lot fronting 551.07 feet on the north side of Fifth avenue, Twentieth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 120 feet more or less.

ROBERT COWARD.

No. 2, L. F., 169, July, '76, M. L. D. $131.47.

BIGELOW.

Lot fronting 270.9½ feet on the north side of Bluff street, Sixth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 120 feet, more or less.

ROBERT COWARD.

No. 2, L. F., 170, July, '76, M. L. D. $112.50. BIGELOW.

Lot fronting 231 feet on the south side of Vicroy street, Sixth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 120 feet, more or less.

ROBERT COWARD.

No. 2, L. F., 171, July '76, M. L. D. $98.96.

BIGELOW.

Lot fronting 205 feet on the north side of Vicroy street, Sixth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 120 feet, more or less.

ROBERT COWARD.

No. 2, L. F., 172, July, '76, M. L. D. $74.50.

BIGELOW.

Lot fronting 153.9 feet on the north side of Vicroy street, Sixth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 120 feet more or less.

ROBERT COWARD.

No. 2, L. F., 173, July, '76, M. L. D. $64.25.

BIGELOW.

Lot fronting 132 feet on the south side of Locust street, Sxith ward, Pittsburgh, running back 120 feet more or less.

G. P. FULTON.

No. 2, L. F., 14, Oct., '76, M. L. D. $178.09.

BIGELOW.

Lot fronting 50 feet on the east side of Craig street, Fourteenth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 120 feet more or less.

MRS. R. ADAMS.

No. 2, L. F., 20, July, '77, M. L. D. $25.12.

BIGELOW.

Lot fronting 20 feet on the south side of Forbes street, Fourteenth ward, Pittsburgh, running back 120 feet more or less.

JOHN HOEDEL.

No. 2, L. F., 33, April, '75, M. L. D. $28.40.

RODGERS.

Lot fronting 20 feet on Liberty street, 262 feet 5 inches west from Madison avenue, Fourth ward, Allegheny city, running back 75 feet.

JOHN W. CRAWFORD.

No. 2, L. F., 1, July, '75, M. L. D. $362.50.

RODGERS.

Lot fronting 20 feet on Chartiers street, Sixth ward, Allegheny city, running back 140 feet to Evans alley.

L. MOONEY.

No. 2, L. F., 5, Oct., '76. M. L. D. $61.00.

RODGERS.

Lot fronting 28 feet on West End avenue, Second ward, Allegheny city, running back 102 feet to Relief alley.

W. A. REED.

No. 2, L. F., 27, April '76. M. L. D. $381.50

RODGERS.

Piece of land situate in the Seventh ward, Allegheny city, bounded by lands of Franz Barker, W. Colemans, Ch. Goehring and Galway Scott and Marshall's plan.

JAMES WILSON.

No. 2 L. F., 29, April, '76, M. L. D. $57.20.

RODGERS.

Lot fronting 40 feet on Fayette street, 100 feet west from Manhattan street, Fifth ward, Allegheny City, running back about 132 feet.

C. W. EHLERS.

No. 2, L. F., 111, July, '76, M. L. D. $135.61.

RODGERS.

Lot fronting 44 feet on Madison avenue, Fourth ward, Allegheny City, running back 90 feet to Peach alley.

SEBASTIAN HEID.

No. 2, L. F., 114, July '76, M. L. D. $477.40.

RODGERS.

Lot fronting 217 feet on Troy Hill road, —— ward, Allegheny City, running back to Ohio street.

G. SCHATHER.

No. 2, L. F., 115, July, '76, M. L. D. $47.96.

RODGERS.

Lot fronting 29 feet on Troy Hill road, —— ward, Allegheny City, running back 87 feet towards Ohio street.

JACOB [illegible].

No. 2, L. F., 1, Oct., '76, M. L. D. [illegible]

RODGERS.

Lot fronting 38 feet on Green street, 100 feet west from Red Oak alley, Third ward, Allegheny City, running back to Long alley.

ANDREW ACKLEY.

No. 2, L. F., 11, Jan., '77, M. L. D. $254.

RODGERS.

Lot fronting 102 feet on Washington avenue, Second ward, Allegheny City, running back along Relief alley 115½ feet.

GEORGE EBDNER.

No. 2, L. F., 24, Jan., '77, M. L. D. $2,835.

RODGERS.

Lot fronting 20 feet on Western avenue, Fifth ward, Allegheny, running back 132 feet.

MILTON M'LAIN.

No. 2, L. F., 301, Jan., '77, M. L. D. $79.04.

LEWIS.

Lot fronting 43 feet on South Canal street, Borough Sharpsburg, running back 150 feet, more or less, to England's alley, and having thereon erected a large two-story brick dwelling house, frame wash hous and other out buildings.

JACOB KEIL.

No. 2, L. F., 314, January, '77, M L D. $563.33.

LEWIS.

Lot fronting 125 feet on Main street, borough of Sharpsburg, running back along Davidson street 179 feet, and having thereon erected three two story brick houses, one one story brick house, two one story frame houses and one two story double brick house used as stores and dwellings.

JEROME RAUM.

No. 2, L. F., 331, January, '77, M. L. D. $386.60.

LEWIS.

Lot fronting 150 feet on the west side of Vine street, borough of Sharpsburg, running back along Main street 72 feet, more or less, and having thereon erected a three story frame hotel building and two story brick house used for store and dwelling, large frame stable and other outbuildings.

N. BALLENTINE.

No. 2, L. F., 2 April, '74, M. L. D. $1,127.75.

LAZEAR.

Lot fronting 75 feet on the west side of Walnut street, Thirty-sixth ward, Pittsburgh, running back along Main street, 120 feet.

CAARLES KIEFFER'S HEIRS.

No. 2, F. F., 9 and 10, J., M. L. D., '77. $87.15, $79.80. RODGERS.

Lot fronting 97 feet more or less on Spring Garden avenue, Seventh ward, Allegheny City, running back 472 feet more or less.

R. H. FIFE,
Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE,
Pittsburgh, December 16th, 1876.

FINANCIAL.

Latest Advices Concerning Money and Stock Matters.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, SATURDAY, December 23, 1876.

There is nothing particularly new in the financial situation. Funds are plentiful at the banks, applications light, and rates moderate. The quiet of the holidays has already begun, and will continue till next week is past.

Robinson Bros., Brokers, No. 78 Fourth avenue, furnish the following quotations of bonds and stocks from the latest advices by telegraph:

Gold	107¾	5-20's 1868-coupons	117¼
U. S. 6's 1881, coup	117¾	10-40's	113½
" 1865	109¾	Currency 6's	121¾
" 1865 new	113¾	New 5 per cents	112
5-20's 1867	116¾	10-40's coupons	113¾

RAILWAYS.

N. Y. Central	102½	Ohio & Mississippi	5½
Erie	9¾	Union Pacific	—
I. C.	68¾	Toledo & Wabash	4½
C. C. & I. C.	—	Harlem	136¼
St. Paul	19¾	Adams Express	101½
Do. Pref	51¾	American Express	52½
Lake Shore	58¾	U. S. Express	52¾
De. Central	46½	W. Fargo & Co. Ex	88¾
Northwestern com	36¾	Quicksilver	13
Do. Pref	56	Fort Wayne	100¾
Rock Island	101¾	Hannibal & St. Jo.	13¾
Cleve. & Pitts	—	Panama	—
Pacific Mail	24¼	Iron Mountain	12
Western Union Tel	71¾	N. J. Central	—
Delaware, L. & W.	—		

Robinson Bros. furnish the following quotations of active stocks on the Philadelphia Stock Board:

P. R. R. (S)	47¾	Con. Trans(B)	40
Reading (S)	19½	Empire do. (B)	50
U. Cos. of N. J. (B)	138	A. V. R R 7.30 (S)	105
Oil Creek (B)	—	P. C. & St.L7's(B)	84¾
Lehigh Valley (S)	49	N. Pacific bonds (A	—

NEW YORK, December 22, 1876.

Money was active at 5@7; prime mercantile paper 5@7. The customs receipts were $156,000. The Assistant Treasurer disbursed $268,000. The clearings were $12,000,000. Sterling was firm at 481@485. Gold opened at 107⅜, and closed at 107¼. The carrying rates were 4 to 7. Silver bars $1.21¾ bid; coin $1.21¼@1.21¾. Governments were strong the demand active and offerings small. Railroad bonds were strong and in good demand. State securities were quiet. The stock market was strong and higher for coal stocks, and generally weak and lower for other securities. Illinois Central advanced from 65 to 68¾, and St. Paul preferred was firm. The decline in trunk line shares was occasioned by a statement that the Grand Trunk Railroad established an independent line to Chicago. Michigan Central was particularly depressed because of a belief that this arrangement will seriously affect its earnings. The transactions were 137,000 shares, of which 5,000 were Pacific Mail, 15,000 Western Union, 13,000 St. Paul preferred, 2,000 Erie, 36,000 Lake Shore, 2,400 New York Central, 2,000 Wabash, 17,000 Michigan Central, 14,000 Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, and 1,600 New Jersey Central.

Governments.—United States coupons of 1881, 117¾; 5-20s of '65, 109¾; do of '67, 116¾; do of '68, 117¼; new 5s, 111¾; new 4½s, 108¾; 10-40s, 113¼; do. coupons, 113¾, currency 6s, 121¾.

State Bonds. — Tennessee old, 42½; do. new, 40; Virginia new, 29; do. old, 29; Missouri sixes, 107¼.

Stocks. — Western Union Telegraph Company, 71¾; Quicksilver, 13; do preferred, 19; Pacific Mail, 24¼; Mariposa, 6½; do preferred, 7; Adams Express, 101½; Wells, Fargo & Company's Express, 88; American Express, 55½; United States Express, 52¼; New York Central, 102⅜; Erie, 9¾; do preferred, 17½; Harlem, 136¼; do preferred, 132; Michigan Central, 46¼; Panama, 125; Union Pacific, 58; Lake Shore 58¾; Illinois Central, 65¾; Pittsburgh, 89½; Northwest common, 36; do. preferred, 56; C., C., C. & I., 37; New Jersey Central, 37¼; Rock Island, 101¾; St. Paul, 19¾; do. preferred, 51¾; Toledo & Wabash, 2¾; do. preferred, 5; Fort Wayne, 100; Terre Haute, 103; do. preferred, 115; Chicago & Alton, 99; do. preferred, 108½; Ohio & Mississippi, 5¾; Delaware & Lackawanna, 72; Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Company, 14¾; Missouri Pacific, 3; A. & P. preferred, 2; Indiana Central, 2¾; Burlington & Quincy, 115¾; Hannibal & St. Joe, 13¾; Central Pacific, 109¾; Union Pacific, 105¾; Union Pacific Land Grant, 100¾; Union Pacific Sinking Fund, 91¾.

LONDON, December 22—5 P. M.—Silver 56½. Consols 94⅜; 5-20s of '65, 105¾; do. of '67, 107¾; 10-40s, 106; new 5s, 106¼; New York Central, 102; Erie, 9¼; do. preferred, 17.

PARIS, December 22.—Rentes, 105f 7½c.

FRANKFORT, December 22.—United States new fives, 101¾.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, FRIDAY, Dec. 22, 1876.

With the exception of goods peculiar to the holiday season, business continues dull, and in a general way devoid of anything particularly new or important.

APPLES—The demand is more active, but prices have not improved as yet; selling at $1a1.50 per bbl, for fair to choice fruit.

APPLE-BUTTER—Dull; quoted at 38a40c ₩ gallon in kegs, and 43a45c in small packages.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—3¾a4 cents.

BROOM CORN—Hurl, 4a4½c; choice brush that will work up, 5a5½; choice covers 4½a5c; choice insiding and covers, 4½; inferior and mixed, 4a4½; crooked, 2½a3, as to color and quality.

BUTTER—Dealers continue to report a very fair demand for prime table butter, but prices are no better, ranging from 23a25c, for prime rolls.

BEANS—Prime new crop navies in light supply and advancing; we now quote at $2 ₩ bu to wholesale buyers, and $2 25 in a small way.

CRANBERRIES—Selling at $8a10 per bbl.

CIDER—Very dull, and while the receipts recently have been small, the supply is fully equal to the demand; quotable at $3a4 ₩ bbl, barrels included.

CHEESE—Continues quiet and unchanged. Prime Ohio Factory is still quoted at 14a14½ to the wholesale trade, and 15a15½c in a jobbing way. "Young Americas" quoted in a jobbing way at 18; "Nutmegs," 17c.

DRESSED HOGS—Receipts as yet small, but there is not much inquiry, and prices remain unchanged. 6¾a7c.

DRIED PEAS—The new crop of Canada green in good demand at $1.50 ₩ bu in round lots, and $1.75 in a jobbing way.

DRIED FRUIT—Continues very dull, and there is not enough doing here to establish prices.

EGGS—Fresh continues in light supply and prices are still maintained, 27a28. Pickeled unchanged at 20a23c.

FLOUR—Continues firm with a fair local trade, but prices remain as last quoted; we understand that some of the best spring wheat flours are held at an advance of 20a25c ₩ bbl, in first hands. Good brands, of either winter or spring, may be quoted at $6.75a7; ambers, $7.25a7.50; patent process and fancy white wheat brands, $8a9. Rye flour, $4.50a5 ₩ bbl.

GROCERIES—Some of our merchants have been doing a fair business this week, but as a general thing it has been dull, and no improvement is expected until next month, as in consequence of it being so near the end of the year, when settlements are required, buyers will buy nothing they can do without. Coffee, Sugars and Molasses continue quiet and unchanged.

SUGARS.

Cut Loaf	13¾	Standard A	11¾a11⅞
Crushed	13¾a	Standard B	11¾a11⅞
Granulated	12¾a	Standard Ex C.	11¼a11½
Powdered	13 a	N. O.	9¾a10¾

COFFEES.

Green.		Roasted.	
Choice	25	Best	27½
Prime	24	Second Grade	26½
Fair	23	Third Grade	24½
Java	32	Java	36

Loose half a cent less.

SYRUPS.

Choice	60 a65	Fair	50 a55
Prime	55 a60	Dark	40 a45

MOLASSES.

Choice new crop N. O.	63a65c
Prime new crop N. O	58a60c
Fair new crop N. O	55c

GRAIN—The receipts of Wheat continue light, and with a supply unequal to the demand, prices are firm but unchanged; fair to prime Penna. and Ohio red, $1.36a1.40; do. amber and white, $1.43a1.45. The arrivals of Oats have been increasing somewhat during the past few days, and the market is easier in consequence, but not quotably lower; mixed, 38a39; white, 40a41. Ear Corn continues scarce, and sells readily, on track, at 54a56. Shelled Corn in better supply and easier; sale of 1 car, on track, at 52c. Rye is in fair demand at 75, but holders think they should have 80c in view of the fact that it cannot be laid down here from any of the western markets for much less. Barley continues dull; No. 2 spring quoted at 75a80c.

GAME—Is reported dull and the market is well stocked. Venison—Saddles, 14a15c ₩ lb; do. Hams, 15a16c; Whole Deer, 8a10c; Prairie Chickens, $4a5 per doz; Pheasants, $2.75a3; Quail, $1 50a1 75 per dozen; Rabbits, 75ca$1.25; Squirrels, 75a$1; Wild Ducks, $3a4; Wild Turkeys, $1a1.50 each.

HAY—The market continues quiet and unchanged. Loose selling at $12a16 per ton from country wagons; baled, on wharf and track, $12a15, as to quality and condition.

MILL FEED—Bran, $13.00a14 per ton; Seconds, Shorts and Shipstuffs, $15a16; Chopped Feed, $19a21; Middlings, $20a22.

OILS—Procter & Gamble's double Extra lard oil, 95a97c; W. Alexander & Co.'s extra, 85a87; No. 1, 77a82; No. 2, 60a65; white winter Miner's oil, 60a63; yellow do, 55a58. Carbon very firm at the recent advance; 27c to the wholesale trade and 1a2c more in a small way.

ONIONS—In fair demand, but quiet and unchanged; $1.50a2 ₩ bbl.

POULTRY—Was in very fair demand to-day, and the most of the fresh stock was picked up at full prices. Dressed Turkeys, 13a14; Chickens, 10a12; Ducks, 13a14c.

POTATOES—The receipts continue light, and with a fair demand and diminishing supply, the market is firm, with prices tending upward. Quotable at $1.15a1.30 per bushel from store in a jobbing way, the outside figure for Peach Blows.

PROVISIONS—There was possibly a little firmer feeling to-day, under the influence of yesterday's [illegible]

B'fast Bacon	[illegible]	Do.	[illegible]
Dried beef Ex S. C.	15	Do. 5 lb do	13¾
Beef Tongues S. C. per doz	$6½	Do. 3 lb pails	14
Bacon Shoulders	7¾	Do. 5 lb do	13¾
Short Rib Sides	9¾	Do. 5 lb do	—
Clear Sides	10¾	Pigs feet (half bbls	4 75
Mess Pork ₩ bbl	$18,00	Do. (kegs)	1 40
Short Cut do	18.00	Ham Sausage	9½

RAGS—Steady at 2½c ₩ lb for good country mixed.

SUMAC—4½c.

SEEDS—There is little or no movement in this market, and in the absence of sales we omit quotations.

TALLOW—Is easier; city quoted at 8¼c per lb; country, 7½c.

THE IRON TRADE.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, FRIDAY, December 22, 1876.

Pittsburgh.

PIG IRON—There has been no change in the general situation since the date of our last weekly review. Business continues very dull, consumers are buying none if they can avoid it, and if forced to, in very small lots to meet immediate actual wants; and, moreover, the indications at the present writing are, that there will be no improvement before the middle of next month, if then. Prices continue weak, especially for common stock, the supply of which is considerably in excess of the demand, but good mill irons are still held with considerable firmness, notwithstanding the inquiry for the present is very meagre. Bituminous coal and coke irons—No. 1 Foundry, $24a25, 4 mos; No. 2, do, $22a23; Grey Forge, $20½a22; white and mottled, $18a19. Following sales were reported:

CONNELLSVILLE COKE.

600 tons A round lot....Private

ANTHRACITE.

100 tons Gray Forge....19 00 cash
100 tons Gray Forge R S....20 00 cash

BITUMINOUS COAL AND COKE SMELTED FROM L. S. ORE.

100 tons Open Gray Forge....21 00 4 mos
170 tons Gray Forge....21a22 00 4 mos

MANUFACTURED IRON—There is no improvement to note in the demand for any kind of finished iron, and it is not likely that there will be for some time to come; orders continue to come forward very sparingly, and prices are weak but nominally unchanged. Quotations are still made on a basis of 2c for merchant bars, although it is said that orders for round lots have been placed within the past month or so below the prices named.

NAILS—The nail trade continues quiet, and, as noted in our last issue, a pretty general suspension on the part of manufacturers is not improbable during the next 30 or 40 days. Prices remain unchanged: $2.85, 60 days for less than 200 kegs, and $2.75, 60 days, for orders of 200 kegs and upwards, with two ₩ cent off for cash.

HORSE AND MULE SHOES—Continues quiet and prices remain unchanged. Shoenberger & Co., continue to quote at 4¾c ₩ lb, cash for 100 keg lots of Horse Shoes, and 5¾c, cash, for Mule Shoes.

SCRAP—There is little or no movement in the scrap trade, nor is it likely that there will be for some weeks to come. No. 1 wrought scrap, $25 per nett ton, and old car wheels $20a22 per gross ton.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI & ST. LOUIS R. R.—5 bbls poultry, 1 Greffy; 19 bbls beans 4 do butter, T S Boggs; 3 tubs do 1 do lard 29 pokes rags, Wilbert & Wo; 1 br d poultry 2 d hogs, T A Miller; 5 bbls poultry 2 tubs butter 9 bgs c meal, Voigt, M & Co; 8 bbls poultry, E Smith; 1 doz r chairs, Mattes & Co; 25 bbls molasses, Carter Bros; 5 bxs medicine, McClarren & McK; 3 do, F H Eggers; 7 do, E Holden; 2 do, G R Spain; 2 do, J Fleming; 1 bdle wood, J F Young, 2 bxs wood, S Boyd; 30 pkgs tobacco, J W Taylor; 75 cads do 10 pkgs do, J Fulierton; 1 car b hams, Walker, D & Bro; 1 csk pelts 1 d hide 5 b do, J Callery, 39 bxs chimneys, J Lindsay; 5 bgs feathers, W Cooper & Company; 4 sks rags, 10 do metal, J & T Fahey; 89 g hides, 4 bdls pelts, W Smith; 1 sack saddlery, A Clendenning; 1 c mill, M B Cochran; 20 pkgs tobacco, T J Wallace; 16 do, H Dammyer; 3 do, M W Rankin; 10 do, G Kann; 18 do, H & J Landis; 2 rolls belting, M B Cochran; 50 bbls h wines, A Wallace; 5 do pickles, T & J Heinz; 14 do molasses, 2 hhds sugar, Johnson, E E & Co; 5 do, 35 bbls molasses, Arbuckles & Co; 410 sks flour, F W Jenkins; 77 do oats, & G Miller.

ALLEGHENY STATION.—1 car lime, Holmes & Co; 1 do, J J Robinson; 4 cars cooperage, J M Hemphill; 3 d hogs, 1 Hippley; 5 bbls hominy, 5 do meal, W J Beckneld; 7 bgs oats, M Mills, 1 car oats, G McFerron; 1 car h iron, S B Thompson; 2 sks oats, W H Sayles; 2 pkgs butter, J Heck; 6 do, R Struss; 3 do, J F Jones; 1 do, J Rankin; J Bohm; 2 do, Negley & R; 4 do, J Frolich; 1 do, S P Armstrong; 6 do, 2 do butter, K Heizermoder; 2 do, 1 do eggs, 2 do poultry, H Gobber; 6 do, 3 do eggs, 3 do butter, Mrs. Gilbert; 1 do, 2 do poultry, K Carson; 4 do, 7 do butter, F Essenwine; 3 do, 6 do poultry, H Essenwine; 11 do, M Minnick; 5 do, S Spaid; 5 do, T Sheets; 2 do, 16 sks flour, J B McMillan; 1 tub cheese, F Beckert; 48 sks corn, Thos Carson; 4 pkgs lard, E Magino; 19 bbls d poultry, 3 do eggs, 4 do butter, L Crouse; 1 car corn, J A Thompson; 1 do f seed, M B Suydam; 1 do s stuffs, Hack & S; 1 do lumber, J Stedeford; 3 bdls paper, Price Bro; 5 bbls apples, 2 do cider, F Owens.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R.—10 cars o bbls, Lockhart & F; 1 do oats, Laing & McK; 1 do, J Graham; 1 do s pipe, Mills & Co; 1 do flour, Peabody, H & Co; 1 do, Shomaker & Co; 1 do lumber, Fuller, L & B; 1 do, S & W H Martin; 1 do pulp, Valley Paper Co; 3 pkgs butter, Voigt, M & Co; 3 do, Head, C & Co; 2 do, 5 bxs poultry, H Loh; 7 do, G W Barnett; 1 do, Voigt, M & Co; 54 sks flour, Laing & McK; 33 bbls apples, Steel, T & Co; 10 do, Head, C & Co; 7 do poultry, G W Bueson; 7 cks ware, M W Sackett; 2 do cheese, C Garber; 34 bdls chairs, Dauler & Son; 40 do, B Rothman; 15 bdls rockers, W H Lemon; 21 sacks rye, W J Meek; 23 bbls produce, E B Mahood; 10 bdls evergreens, Chapman Weisman; 13 cases matches, J Henderson; 10 kegs barley, Wessbrod & W; 11 bdls g ware, Gallinger & Co; 3 cases coffee, C L Flaccus; 25 bxs candles, M W Rankin; 25 do, J T Colvin.

PITTSBURGH FT. WAYNE & CHICAGO R. R.—1 car flour, J F Minich; 1 do, B H Voskamp; 1 do, T C Jenkins; 1 kg butter, J S King; 1 stand do, L Wefling; 5 bbls eggs, J H Loh; 15 cases tobacco, J M Stohl; 20 do, J Wilson; 20 do, T J Wallace; 13 bbls oil, B L Fahnestock; 29 pkgs butter 100 bgs b w flour 1 car oats, J White jr; 159 jugs, Luebbe Bro; 1 car oats, C Hoting; 80 sks o meal, Kell & R; 4 hf bbls butter, H J McCracken; 5 bxs soap, Schmidt & F; 2 kgs lard, Voigt, M & Co; 15 do, J F Heinz; 6 tubs butter, Aiken, W & P; 2 do, Wilbert & W; 3 do, Head, C & Co; 20 bales waste, Markle & Co; 1 car oats, J Kell; 13 bgs beans 5 do c seed, A Kirkpatrick; 2 bbls alcohol, R E Sellers; 28 bus peas, Aiken, W & P; 50 bbls liquor, Getty & Co; 20 bxs staren, Watt, L & Co; 1 car barley, J M Muller.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R. Co.—1 car ice, Chaut L I Co; 1 do hay, O H Allerton; 27 do coal, Armstrong, D & Co; 62 do coal, N Y & G C Co; 25 do, Sabine Coal Co; 1 do acid, Pgh Acid W'ks; 7 do coal, A V R R; 14 do, P Ft W & C R; 1 bbl oil, Paine, A & Co; 1 do tallow, 26 bbls hides, D Chestnut; 1 car brick, Reese G & W; 1 do carboys, P O W; 11 sks flour, H Res jr; 3 sks beef 1 hide 1 bf butter 5 bbls poultry, Voigt, M & Co; 1 bx butter, J Arnd; 1 sk nuts 1 bbl apples, J Hardy; 1 do s mdse, J Herron.

RECEIPTS AT PITTSBURGH GRAIN ELEVATOR—3 cars wheat, Marshall, K & Co; 1 do oats, M F Herron; 1 do, D G Stewart; 1 do, F Schields; 1 do corn, McHenry & B; 1 do, S B Floyd.

Receipts of Pig Metal, etc.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD COMPANY.

W J Hammond s	4	Lewis O & P c	3
J Moorhead b	1	A H Childs m	1
Total			9

ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R.

Byers McC & Co m	1

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R.

Reese G & W m	1	S. B. & Co o	6
Graff B & Co o	1	Isabella Fur o	3
Park & Co o	1	Zug & Co p	2
Lewis O & P o	1	Rogers L & Co	1
Total			31

PITTSBURGH, FT. WAYNE AND CHICAGO R. R.

Byers McC & Co m	14	Nimick & Co m	4
Pgh F & I Co s	5	Zug & Co m	2
Total			25

☞ *Petroleum Market, Markets by Telegraph and River News on Fourth Page.*

HOME NEWS.

The probabilities for to-day are clear or fair weather, colder northerly to westerly winds, and rising barometer.

Iron City College.

Corner Penn avenue and Sixth street, Pittsburgh. Day and evening sessions. Students admitted at any time. For terms call on, or address J. C. Smith, A. M. Principal.

The Reform Movement.

The temperance meetings under the direction of Mr. Murray yesterday, both at noon and in the evening, were largely attended, the house being filled on both occasions. The interest continues to increase, and a large number of persons signed the pledge. The meetings were conducted as heretofore. Mr. Murphy announced that the meetings to-day would be held at the Smithfield street M. E. Church. It was announced that an admission fee of twenty-five cents would be charged at Library Hall to-morrow evening, at which time the meeting will be addressed by Captain Robert Pollock, M. Swartzwelder, Esq., Samuel T. Paisley, Jos. R. Hunter and N. McClarran.

The Sherman Avenue Colored Schools.

The customary semi-annual examination of these schools has been progressing during the past three days. We were able to spend but a short time each on Thursday and Friday in witnessing the exercises. It has been our wont for several years to be present on these occasions, and we are much gratified in being able to state that the progress of the classes in the several departments and the marked proficiency of some of the more advanced scholars are such as to denote diligent study on the part of the student, and enlightened and faithful supervision on the part of the several teachers, especially of the erudite and accomplished Principal, Prof. S. A. Neale. On former visits we found among the visitors one or more of the School Board. We regret to say that not even one of them gave attention on any of the three days occupied by this examination. We hope they have adequate reasons for this apparent neglect.

FIRE AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

Sproul's Fifth Avenue Waiter Girl Saloon Burned Out—Loss $5,000—Fully Covered by Insurance.

A fire occurred at the "White House," a waiter girl saloon on Fifth avenue, owned by Lawrence Sproul, about six o'clock yesterday morning, by which all the furniture and fixtures in the saloon were destroyed, and the building damaged to the extent of several hundred dollars. The front of the building is fitted up as a bar, and was one of the most elegantly and expensively furnished saloons in the city. In the rear of this was the waiter girl saloon, which was provided with a small stage at the back end, and furnished with beer tables and chairs. The floor of this department was recently covered with sawdust, and it is thought the fire was caused by some one carelessly throwing a lighted cigar on the floor about the time the saloon was closed, which was about twelve o'clock of the night before. The fire was discovered by the colored waiter, who sleeps in the room over the bar. He was awakened by the dense smoke in the room, and made his escape through a front window. Thomas Baker's tobacco store is in the building, but his stock was only slightly damaged by water. Over the rear part of the saloon is a billiard hall, the tables in which were slightly damaged by water. The building belongs to John H. Sawyer, Esq., and is insured for $6,000. The stock of liquors, which was stored in the cellar, and but little injured, was insured for $2,000, and the bar fixtures on one side of the house for a like amount; The insurance on the bar fixtures on the opposite side could not be ascertained.

MURDER AT MODOC.

A Brutal Affair in the Oil Regions.

On Wednesday evening D. A. Black, four of his brothers, and Luke Flood entered the Central Hotel at Modoc City, in the Butler county oil region, and called for liquor. It was refused them on the ground that they were considerably intoxicated. They then desired to enter the billiard room, but were prohibited by Mr. Tracy, the proprietor, who told them to go home. They left the premises at once, and started up the street, deceased and his murderer going arm in arm. On reaching the store of A. C. Rosing & Bros., probably thirty rods distant from the hotel, the party halted, had a conversation and finally entered the store. Getting boisterous they were told to leave, which they at once did. They went outside, loud words were heard, and presently D. A. Black fell against the door of the store, his head going through the upper portion, which was glass. Mr. Rosing rushed to the door and heard deceased exclaim "Go for that fellow," having reference to Flood, and directing the command to his brothers. He then said, "Let me in," and being allowed to enter, he fell dead to the floor, never again uttering a word. Flood had stabbed him three times, the blade of the knife going once directly through his heart, once through his left lung and once in the abdomen. Flood was arrested and committed to jail. He lives at Altoona, where he has a wife and two children. The home of the deceased was at New Castle, where his remains were taken by his brothers. There had been bad blood for some time between Black and Flood.

ANOTHER HOMICIDE.

One More Added to the Long List of Deaths by Violence in This County—A Quarrel About a Tool Results in the Death of One of the Parties.

An unfortunate circumstance occurred yesterday afternoon at the machine shops of J. & J. Millboiland, on Old avenue, by which another victim was added to the long list of homicides in this county within the past year or two. The affair was the result of a quarrel between Frank Zeigler, a journeyman employed in the shop, and Albert Sutherland, a bright, intelligent looking boy between seventeen and eighteen years of age, an apprentice. About half-past three o'clock yesterday afternoon Ziegler came to where Sutherland was at work, and wanted to borrow a chisel, which Sutherland refused to lend, stating that his employer had directed [illegible] refusal provoked Ziegler [illegible] he struck the boy and [illegible] he got up he picked up [illegible] it at Ziegler, striking [illegible] knocking him down. As [illegible] some of the workmen [illegible] endeavored to raise him [illegible] insensible they at once [illegible] Dr. Batton and another physician, whose name we did not learn, came and did all in their power to restore the man to consciousness, but to no effect, as the vital spark had fled. Young Sutherland, as soon as he discovered that Ziegler was dead, proceeded directly to the Mayor's office and gave himself up to the Mayor, to whom he related the circumstances of the killing just as they occurred and just as published here.

As stated above, Sutherland is but a boy, being only a little past seventeen years old, and resided with his widowed mother and two sisters, on Scott street, this city. He has been working in the shop a little over a year. His appearance does not indicate him to be a vicious boy, but on the contrary, he seems to be of a timid nature and kind hearted disposition. Mr. Ziegler was about thirty-eight years of age, was a married man, and resided on Pius street, Twenty-seventh ward, South Side, where the body was removed last evening.

The Coroner will hold an inquest on the body at ten o'clock this morning.

WHERE HE HAS BEEN.

Brief Sketch of Grier's Movements in North and South America—No Party of Political Influence Implicated—The Defalcation Confined to the Trust Company—Robert's Story Will Not be Startling.

Mr. Robert Grier has expressed his intention to reveal nothing to the reporters. His lips have been sealed to them by his counsel, Mr. Thos. M. Marshall, and the seal will not be broken until arrangements have been made for his official statement, which it is said will not be as startling as the public has been led to believe it would. Yesterday Mr. Marshall gave a mere outline of the movements of Grier since he left Pittsburgh in 1873, together with one or two other items of interest that are fresh and newsy. The attorney says that with the exception of one week he has been familiar with Grier's place of residence since November, 1873, and knew where to find him almost at any time. If he had been consulted and his advice taken Grier would not have gone away, but would have remained and faced the music. Grier left this city on the Sunday night immediately preceding the Tuesday on which the Nation Trust Company closed. He took with him less than $1,000. He went to Delaware and located near Wilmington, where he remained about a week, but learning that inquiry was being made for him he went to Baltimore to avoid arrest. He stayed there a few days, but fearing detection he took passage on a steamer and went to St. Johns, New Brunswick. Upon arriving there he made arrangements to go into the lumber business under his own name, never having assumed a false name. He had everything ready to open business when he discovered that search was still being made for him, and that rewards for his arrest had been offered through the New York *Herald* and other papers. Still fearful of being caught, he determined to keep on the move, and from St. Johns he went to Nova Scotia. He remained there but a short time until he proceeded to Canada, and went to a town named Calico. He put but a little while in there, when he determined to go to South America,—where he would be beyond all danger, and might find something to do. A ship transported him to Peru, where he went into business in a country store with a partner, but that calling not being his inclination, he quit it and secured a subordinate position in the employ of Meigs, the railroad builder, with whom he continued until the decline of business obliged the abandonment of the railroad. He was again out of employment, but a request from the stockholders of the Nation Trust Company for him to come to Canada and have an interview with them gave him something to think about and do. He returned in July last to Toronto, Canada. The books of the Nation Trust Company had been boxed in Pittsburgh and shipped to Toronto, and there Mr. Schoyer and Mr. Morris met him. This was Mr. Schoyer's first connection with Grier in reference to the bank affairs. About a week was spent over the books in Toronto, and it was then that the written statement of Grier was made and handed to Mr. Schoyer. Grier remained in Toronto from that time until he was assured that he could return in safety, and it was from Toronto that he came when he got home on Wednesday night. This is an outline of his three year's travels. He comes home with the assurance of protection from the N. T. stockholders, and the guarantee that in case of arrest bail will be procured for him. He does not intend to remain in the city after matters have been straightened up, and will not acknowledge that he did anything wrong in connection with the N. T. Company.

Mr. Marshall also pronounced untrue the statement that a party of considerable political influence had been active in hindering the promise of Grier's pardon. No outside party, he says, is implicated, and if any large defalcations are developed they will be found to be within the circle of stockholders. Mr. Marshall does not believe that the stockholders will recover any money through any testimony that Grier may give. The latter has not a great deal to tell, and says he knows of no person of political influence that will be implicated by anything he may say, unless it should be a certain resident of Allegheny. A. Henne, the recusant witness during the legislative investigation, who since committed suicide, helped Grier to strike false balances and knew more about the affairs of the Nation Trust Company than most people thought he did. In conclusion Mr. Marshall stated that for six or seven years before it closed the Nation Trust Company was insolvent, although it continued declaring dividends and was thought to be in a prosperous condition. Mr. Shiras had an interview with Grier on Thursday night, when the latter gave him the names of the persons who got the money. The defalcation was all within the circle of the Nation Trust Company. No outsider had a dip at the thing at all, and it is said not a dollar was received outside of the stockholders. Grier will be employed to examine the books of the company, put them in a condition that can be understood, and for the time thus occupied will be paid.

Remember the Poor.

When making your gifts of money and valuables to those who are in need, do not forget to advise them where they may secure their Boots and Shoes at bottom figures. Tell them that at the Boot and Shoe Store of R. Taggart, No. 129 Federal street, Allegheny, they can save from 25 cents to $2 on every pair of boots and shoes sold. The cheapest shoe house in the two cities. A large assortment of extra quality goods retailed at wholesale rates.

The great variety of Superior Crackers and small cakes now manufactured by S. S. Marvin & Co., is attracting universal attention. Retail Department, 18 Fifth avenue.

AMONG THE CHURCHES.

Brief Notes of Matters Personal and Otherwise.

The Presbytery of Monongahela will meet in the Sixth U. P. Church, East End, next Tuesday.

The Christmas celebrations in the majority of the Sunday Schools will be held on Monday evening this year.

Rev. Dr. Felton, pastor of Christ M. E. church, Pittsburgh, will preach to-morrow morning and evening.

The Rev. John Alford, of New Castle, is expected to preach in the First U. P. church, Oak alley, to-morrow.

Rev. W. P. Turner, pastor of the Fifth avenue M. E. church, will deliver a Christmas sermon to-morrow morning.

Chaplain McCabe's lecture at the Fifth avenue M. E. church Wednesday evening was quite largely attended and a success.

Rev. S. W. Horner, of the West Wisconsin Conference, is in the city and will spend the holidays with his friends here.

Mr. Francis Murphy will deliver a temperance lecture in Library Hall to-morrow night, and other speakers will follow him.

This evening from 7:45 to 8:45 a young men's meeting for "Experience on the Text," will be held at the Y. M. C. A. rooms.

A remarkable revival is in progress in Franklin, Pa. Two hundred have joined the M. E. Church, and still the work goes on.

The first story of the First Methodist church of Cherry Tree, Indiana county, Pa., S. F. Crowther pastor, will be dedicated (D. V.) to-morrow.

There will be a meeting at the Alliance Rooms for Temperance for those that may not be able to get into Library Hall, at 7 o'clock to-morrow evening.

The Presbytery of Allegheny, at its meeting last week, made arrangements for the organization of a Presbyterian mission church on School street, Allegheny.

Rev. W. H. Gill will discourse on "Mr. Francis Murphy and Temperance," to-morrow evening, in the Central Presbyterian church, Allegheny.

Rev. F. L. Senour, of the Central Presbyterian church, Smithfield street, will preach to-morrow evening on "The Burning of the Brooklyn Theatre."

Rev. A. A. E. Taylor, D. D., President of the University of Wooster, will preach in the Third Presbyterian church to-morrow morning and evening.

Rev. S. F. Scovel will preach to-morrow morning in the First Presbyterian church, on "The Christian's Christmas," and in the evening on "Helps to Temperance."

Rev. W. H. Hornblower, D. D., of Western Theological Seminary will preach at the Second Presbyterian Church (late Dr. Howard's) to-morrow morning and evening.

Careful computation shows that the actual expense of collecting and disbursing the missionary funds of the M. E. Church last year was less than *two and one-half per cent.*

The house of worship for the Second Presbyterian church of Altoona was dedicated last Sabbath. Sermon by Rev. Geo. P. Hays, D. D., President of Washington and Jefferson College.

Prof. J. R. W. Sloane, D. D., will preach to-morrow at 10½ o'clock, A. M., and 2½ P. M., in the Reformed Presbyterian church, corner of Sandusky and North Diamond streets, Allegheny.

A promising revival is in progress at the Thirty-third street Mission church, Pittsburgh, Rev. A. H. Miller, pastor. Seventy persons have united with the church since the meetings commenced.

Rev. D. Jones has been assisting in a revival meeting at the Second Methodist church (Dr. Cowl's) for three weeks. Many have united with the church, and the congregation is enjoying a gracious revival.

Rev. S. Bailey will preach in the Fourth U. P. church, Allegheny, to-morrow morning, and Rev. Mr. Young, of the Central Reformed Presbyterian church, in the evening.

Rev. Wm. B. Reed, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Parkersburg, Pa., will preach at the Bellefield Presbyterian church to-morrow morning at 10:30 o'clock. The pastor, Rev. W. J. Holland, will preach in the evening.

Bishop Peck, Chaplain McCabe and a number of prominent ministers and laymen of the city were handsomely entertained at the residence of B. F. Kennedy, Esq., Prothonotary, on Wednesday evening. The Bishop shortly afterwards left for Buffalo.

Rev. W. H. Thomas, of Grace Presbyterian church (colored), Arthurs street, will preach to-morrow morning, on "The Prophecy of Christ's Birth," and in the evening on "The Birth of Christ." There will be choral singing at each service.

Rev. J. S. Wrightnour, of the East End, will address the prayer meeting to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock, at the Alliance Rooms, corner of Sixth street and Penn avenue. Some of the reformed men will be present and also address the meeting.

On last Sunday communion services were held in Glenfield Presbyterian church, Rev. W. M. Hyde, pastor. The Rev. Dr. McKinney preached, and six persons were taken into the church, five on profession of faith, and one on certificate. The new members are all young people.

The tenth anniversary of the Union Noon Prayer Meeting, will be observed to-day from 12 to 12:45 o'clock at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A., No. 33 Fifth avenue. The meeting will be led by Rev. Alex. Clark, who was one of the regular attendants when the meeting was first organized.

Rev. T. H. Colhouer, pastor of the First Methodist Protestant Church, Union avenue, will preach to-morrow morning on "The Birth of Christ." At 3 P. M., to the Sabbath School, on "The Best Christmas Gift for the World," and in the evening, on "The Wise Men," as our exemplars in coming to Christ."

An encouraging revival of religion is in progress at the M. E. Church, Main street, South Side, Rev. J. W. Baker, pastor. Many have been hopefully converted. To-morrow night a gospel temperance meeting will be held, to be addressed by Mrs. Mary B. Reese, of Ohio. Other meetings of a similar character will follow.

Rev. Dr. E. B. Snyder, of the Emory M. E. Church, East End, was visited by a "donation party" consisting of the members of his congregation, on Thursday night. They left pleasant mementoes of the visit in the way of abundant supplies of groceries, wearing apparel, &c., and carried away rich memories of an evening most happily spent.

Christmas, if observed with any propriety, should be filled with remembrances of Him who, *though he was rich, yet for our sakes became poor, that we through his poverty might be rich.* Social enjoyment there may be, but in all the scenes and all the songs of joy there should be hearts responsive to the anthem of the angels: "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will to men."

Rev. R. W. Pearson, D. D. will preach to-morrow morning at 10:30, in the Fourth Avenue Baptist Church, and after the sermon baptise a number of believers. At night there will be a public meeting at 7:30 in the interest of the Indian Missions. Rev. John Jumper, the converted chief of the Seminole tribe of Indians, Rev. M. Durant, Major Ingalls, of U. S. Service, Dr. Pearson, and others will speak.

Besides the temperance revival in the First Methodist Protestant church, there is considerable religious interest. A number of conversions have taken place at the Sabbath evening meetings, and indications are favorable to a more extensive revival of religion. The pastor will continue his discourses on the Churches of the Apocalypse, taking for his subject to-morrow morning "Persecuted, but not Forsaken—Poor, but Rich," and at night "Unhurt by the Second Death."

While Rev. Dr. E. F. Brooke, late of this city, but now of the First M. E. Church, Cleveland, was attending with his family a church meeting, one evening this week, the Parsonage was entered and taken possession of by a host of friends, who greeted the surprised pastor and his consort upon their return, with gifts—the gentleman getting an order for a suit of clothes and the lady securing a superb seal skin sacque. The whole affair was a complete, though quite agreeable surprise to the recipients.

There will be some very fine music at the Cathedral on Christmas morning, the choir, under the directorship of Prof. Arwin McCaffrey, having been rehearsing for several days. At the usual five o'clock mass they will render Mozart's Twelfth Mass; at 10:30 o'clock they will render Lambillott's Paschal Mass, when the solo parts will be sung by the following ladies and gentlemen: Soprano, Mrs. Slack; alto, Miss Donnelly; tenor, Mr. H. Seidle; bass by Messrs. F. Weisser, L. Rickett and Wm. F. Vollmer. The chorus will have about twenty voices.

A much needed extension has been added to the mission chapel at Soho. The mission is under the care of the Bellefield Presbyterian church. Interesting services were held on the evening of the 10th inst., on the occasion of the opening of the new room, which is designed for the use of the infant department. After sermon by the pastor, Rev. W. J. Holland, a congratulatory address was made by Prof. Crane, of the Western University, who has supplied the pulpit every Sabbath evening for the past year. Prof. Crane was followed by J. H. Baldwin, Esq., and Henry Lloyd, Esq. The school at Soho numbers not far from two hundred and fifty members, and is under the supervision of Mr. E. G. Cumingo.

A series of Sabbath afternoon lectures to Christian workers will be commenced to-morrow in the Y. M. C. A. rooms, the time selected for the meetings being four o'clock. The first lecture to be by Rev. B. F. Woodburn, on "How to use the Bible in Christian Work," the remaining lectures to be as follows: December 31, "How to study the Bible for personal profit and for use in Christian Work," Wm. Bakewell, Esq. January 7, "The field for Christian Work open to us," Rev. C. E. Felton, D. D. January 14, Service of Song—Subject, "Christian Work," Rev. John Gillespie. January 28, "How to conduct Inquiry Meetings," Rev. S. A. Taggart. February 4, "Training and care of Young Converts," Rev. J. S. Sands. February 11, Bible Reading—Subject: "Christian Work." February 18, "Common sense in Christian Work," Rev. Geo. P. Hays, D. D. February 25, "How to utilize the Lay element in our Churches," Rev. Dr. Scovel. March 4, "How to make Devotional Meetings interesting and profitable," Rev. R. W. Pearson, D. D. March 11, Thanksgiving and praise service.

The picturesqueness of Italian life, with its dirty brown *lazzaroni*, it is feared, is to receive a severe blow. Large quantities of B. T. Babbitt's Best Soap threaten to banish dirt from these chosen examples of filth, and the artists will lose their models. But the gain in one direction will compensate; and rumor has it that the King of Italy is to forbid any other soap being sold.

The Controllership.

The general canvass for local offices goes on briskly, and the candidates are busily engaged, but thus far the field on the City Controllership seems to be given up to the present efficient incumbent, Major Robert M. Snodgrass. Mr. Snodgrass has filled this office during his term to the eminent satisfaction of the people. He has always been courteous in his intercourse with the multitudes who have had occasion to call upon him for information. He has also been prompt in the discharge of every official duty, and his books are so kept that the entire working of the financial machinery of the city is there clearly exhibited. This position is a very important one, and when the city's interests are so well attended to it is not strange that the people do not manifest any haste for a change. Major Snodgrass has been weighed in the balance and found reliable, efficient, able, and always up to the mark, and hence it would be a strong candidate indeed who could cope with him before the people.

Christmas—Extra.

TO MEET THE UNUSUAL DEMAND FOR FINE GOODS, MR. MCFADDEN OF FIFTY-THREE, FIFTH AVENUE, JUST RECEIVED YESTERDAY FROM THE EASTERN FACTORIES LARGE INVOICES OF THE LATEST AND CHOICEST GOODS, SUCH AS FINE WATCHES, DIAMONDS, STONE CAMEO SETS, PINS AND RINGS, LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S SCARF PINS, STONE CAMEO RINGS, LOCKETS, SLEEVE BUTTONS AND STUDS, ELEGANT ROMAN GOLD AND FANCY NECKLACES AND LOCKETS, CHILDREN'S RINGS AND NECKLACES, SOLID STERLING SILVERWARE, &C., &C. PLENTY FOR ALL, AND AT PRICES SO LOW THAT NOBODY CAN COMPLAIN. MR. MCFADDEN'S STORE IS INDEED THE MOST ATTRACTIVE PLACE IN PITTSBURGH. ON SATURDAY EVENING TO ACCOMMODATE HIS GOOD FRIENDS AMONG THE WORKING PEOPLE, MR. MCFADDEN WILL KEEP HIS STORE OPEN UNTIL TEN O'CLOCK, AND LATER IF NECESSARY.

Yesterday

Messrs. F. H. Eaton & Co., 25 Fifth avenue, advertised 107 dozen ladies' bows and scarfs; to-day they have but 75 dozen to advertise. The secret of this demand is the extremely low scale of prices.

All kinds of Candy Toys and Tree Ornaments at Youngson's, Corner of Diamond and Smithfield street.

MR. MURPHY'S CRUSADE.

How it is Considered by Saloon Keepers—Its Probable Effect on the Business.

The crusade against the use of intoxicating liquors as a beverage inaugurated in this city by Mr. Francis Murphy a few weeks since, has been attended with more favorable results so far than any movement in the interest of temperance that has ever been made in this city and so far as can be ascertained, in any other city in the country. Whether the good already achieved—for no one conversant with the facts will deny that much good has already been accomplished—will be permanent and the benefits lasting or not it is of course impossible to say, as time alone will demonstrate that point, but it is not unreasonable to suppose that a few at least of the many hundreds, who have signed the pledge, and resolved to lead a sober life will be enabled to carry out their good resolutions, and if but one's saved, good—much good—has been accomplished.

No movement of any kind, either secular or religious, inaugurated in this city, has awakened a greater interest among all classes of people than has this temperance movement. Many avowed temperance men, who for many years have been working in the cause, admit that their work has been a failure; that they have been laboring in a wrong direction; and that Mr. Murphy's is the true theory, and the only practical method of effecting a cure of the evil.

The saloon keepers at first looked upon the movement as of but little consequence, doubtless forming their estimate of the work likely to be accomplished and its ultimate results from the crusade of two and three years ago, and other efforts in the temperance cause. Many of them are beginning to view it in a more serious light, their perceptions having, doubtless, been quickened and their judgment sharpened by a falling off in their daily receipts.

For the purpose of ascertaining the views of the retail liquor dealers in regard to the matter, a GAZETTE reporter visited a number of the principal saloons in the city, and conversed with the proprietors and bartenders concerning it, and a significant fact was the disinclination of most of them to express any opinion on the subject. When the movement was first inaugurated it was a subject of discussion for almost every liquor dealer in the city. They would talk of it cheerfully, and many of them favorably, stating in some instances that the class of men who were signing the pledges were of no benefit to the whisky seller; that they had no money and the saloons would be benefited if they were kept away. This was the prevailing opinion among them two weeks since; but out of over twenty saloon keepers interviewed yesterday one only expressed those views; others may have entertained them but they declined to exprss them.

A prominent dealer on Wylie avenue said that he had not noticed any falling-off in his receipts, and consequently did not think the movement had injured him; but he thought it must be hurting some of the smaller dealers. One dealer on Smithfield street said that Murphy or something else was affecting his business to such an extent that he would have to close, unless there was an improvement. Two others said their business had not been affected by the movement. Two saloons on Third avenue were visited, and in both of these the proprietors admitted that "business was very dull;" their receipts had fallen off considerably in the past two weeks. The dealers on Fifth avenue all declined to express any opinion on the matter.

That some of them are affected, and that seriously, there can be no question, as the following figures will show: About three thousand persons have signed the pledge since the movement started, and those three thousand persons, before signing, drank, at a very low estimate, four drinks each every day, which would make an aggregate of 12,000 drinks, which, at 10 cents each, would amount to $1,200 per day of a falling off in the receipts of the liquor sellers in the two cities. This would be a small amount if the loss of trade should be equally divided among the large number of saloons in the two cities, but when looked at in the aggregate as a matter of money saved to the families of poor men, it is astonishing. Look at the figures, $1,200 per day, for one week of seven days, amounts to just $8,400—which in three months amount to $109,200—a sum larger than both cities will expend in that time for the support of the poor. Further, if the whisky trade can stand a reduction of $8,400 per week in receipts, without feeling it, it is certainly time that something was being done to stop the traffic.

Having failed to obtain an expression of opinion from any of the liquor dealers, one of Mr. Murphy's recruits was interviewed, and when it was suggested that four drinks a day to each man would be a fair average, he replied that he did not know what anybody else average was, but his was about twenty drinks a day." His average expenses for whisky alone before signing the pledge he said was $2 per day. He is not spending any in that way now, and says he feels better than he ever did in his life. He was asked in regard to the class of men who were signing the pledge, and he replied that it was the class of men who ought to sign it, "the hard drinkers." Relative to the views of the saloon keepers at the outstart, that it took away a class of men who had no money to pay for drinks and who never bought any, he said that in taking that class of men away the saloon keepers were injured; that while these men never paid for any liquor themselves, they got their eight or ten drinks daily, not at the expense of the saloon keepers, but at the expense of the more fortunate and more foolish patrons like himself.

THE CANDY KING'S HOME.

A Rich Display Made at Hubley's—A Suggestion for Purchasers of Christmas Sweetmeats and Fruits.

Amid the falling snow and the merry jingle of the bells, and the very atmosphere filled with the sweet spirit of the Christmas time, our hearts naturally turn with pleasant anticipations to the prospective feast which shall crown the Christmas board. Especially is this true of those who, even in their hurry, have passed along Penn avenue, for their haste has been checked by the exquisitely beautiful and appetizing display of Christmas "goodies," arranged with such exquisite taste in the window of No. 195—the well-known confectionery establishment of Mr. Jacob B. Hubley, under Library Hall. Mr. Hubley it is plain to be seen has made special preparations for this season and has surpassed all his former efforts. He has prepared a stock of goods which would cause the eyes of the most satiated epicure to dance with delight. All the stock is manufactured under his own supervision. In part the display embraces some pretty specimens of modeling in butter, some most tempting home made mince meat, juicy apple butter, fruits of all kinds, both foreign and domestic, nuts, raisins, bananas, and fine confectionery. His confectionery is especially noticable and the e'clairs, of different kinds, fancy candies, caramels, bon bons, mixed candies, &c., &c., attest their superiority in appearance and when they are eaten. They are all made out of the purest sweets unadulterated with any foreign substance, and are unexcelled anywhere. They are sold at prices less than that charged for inferior grades in some places.

Mr. Hubley also in connection with his Confectionery, "runs" the Dining Rooms, which are so popular with all classes. The rooms are large, airy, well lighted, well ventilated, clean and free from all smell of cooking, while the dishes served are varied and cooked to perfection.

We take pleasure in calling attention to the Christmas display at this time-honored and justly popular house, and we advise our friends, who wish to save time while shopping to drop in at No. 195 Penn avenue, and take dinner, and then purchase their supplies of confectionery, mince meats, and such like, from an establishment which never sells an inferior class of goods, and is as cheap as any in price.

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Infants' Fine Embroidered Robes.

Infants' French Work Dresses.

Infants' Embroidered Cashmere shawls.

Infants' Cashmere Cloaks and Baby Sets complete,

For Holiday Gifts,
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Retail.

Strike While the Iron is Hot

which means in business language, seize every opportunity offered for buying goods at low rates, which at present is offered in jewelry goods at the closing out sale of J. M. Moffatt & Co., 123 Fifth avenue, where a full line of watches, chains, rings, pins, &c., is being sold at unusually low figures, as the sale is peremptory and the goods must go, bring what they may.

The Radiant Home Stove

can be seen at Geo. W. Stevenson & Bro.'s, 131 Federal street.

BOOKS! BOOKS!! BOOKS!!!

Go to the Grand Sale of
NEW BOOKS,
At Drape's Auction,
182 Federal street, Allegheny,
This Saturday Evening.

By the Time

This paper reaches you, Messrs. F. H. Eaton & Co., 25 Fifth avenue, will have received 29 dozen more of those elegant 25 cent Silk Handkerchiefs. Finer qualities of every kind are now on their counters.

For the Holidays.

Every variety Plain and Fancy Hosiery and Gloves, now at low prices.
H. J. Adams.

NOTICE.

Jos. Horne & Co.'s Retail Stores,
197 and 199 Penn Avenue,
Open in evenings before Christmas until 8:30 o'clock.

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for your cheap Cook and Heating Stoves. A good No. 7 Cook Stove for $8, a good Heating Stove for $4, at 131 Federal street.

New Style Canes.

H. J. Adams, 98 Fifth avenue.

A USEFUL INVENTION.

Labor Abridged and Satisfactory Results Obtained by the Use of Rankin's Meat Choppers and Stuffers.

If he who makes two blades of grass grow, where but one grew before, be a public benefactor, how much more is he entitled to this distinction, who diminishes manual labor to the extent of one-half its toil and drudgery. We live in age of progress and improvement, and yet many would suppose that automatic devices and appliances for meliorating the condition of mankind had been brought to such a degree of perfection that nothing more were left to invent or discover that would be of prominent practical benefit. To those who entertain this belief we would say that before you become setted in this conviction, it is your duty to examine the merits of the new "meat chopper," which is the invention of Mr. H. P. Rankin and which is manufactured of different sizes and capacity by the Rankin Manufacturing Company, of 183 Lacock street, Allegheny, Pa. This machine, by reason of its many unsurpassed good qualities, its capability of lessening the amount of labor required to attain a desired result, its ease and rapidity of operation, its simplicity of construction, its durability for long continued service, and its facility of adjustment to the end to be attained, commends itself to the attention of every farmer and butcher, no matter to what degree of use to which they may wish to apply it. This company manufactures both power and hand machines, all of which are subjected to the severest tests to prove their strength and capacity, before being offered for sale, while their strongest praise is in the universal verdict of satisfaction rendered by those who have had them in use for a number of years, and to whom they have become indespensable.

But, if any further testimony were needed, then this machine has it in the award over all competitors of the first premium at the Centennial Exposition, Philadelphia, at which time several machines were ordered for Europe, while orders are daily being received from all parts of the United States and Canadas. It may safely be said that it is the *ne plus ultra* "meat chopper" of the world.

The Rankin Company also manufacture the "Champion Sausage Stuffer," which, on account of the many advantages which it possesses over the old fashioned, annoying and vexatious machines heretofore in use is destined soon to supersede all others of whatever name or construction. Instead of obtaining power by cast iron wheels, a wrought iron screw is used, which gives a uniform power moving with ease, noiseless and allowing a free use of all the parts for cleansing. Butchers who examine this machine, can readily be satisfied of its superiority, and require no argument to prove its entire adaptibility to the purpose intended. Every butcher, whether engaged extensively in the business or otherwise, should make it a point to visit the manufactory and inspect these labor-saving novelties of mechanical skill, or if not convenient to do this, then open a correspondence with the company, which will gladly answer all inquiries into the character and capacity of the machines named, as well as others appertaining to their line of manufacture. All work guaranteed and all orders promptly filled. Call on or address Rankin Manufacturing Company, 183 Lacock street, Allegheny, Pa.

GREAT AUCTION SALE.

Dry Goods.

THE ENTIRE STOCK
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A. W. ERWIN,
172 and 174 Federal street,
ALLEGHENY CITY.

To be sold at auction, commencing Saturday, December 16, at 1:30 P. M., and continuing day and evening until the entire stock is sold.

The attention of the ladies of Pittsburgh and Allegheny is particularly invited to this sale, as the stock is very full and complete, comprising everything in the way of desirable Dress Goods, such as Silk Poplins, Black and Colored Cashmeres, Alpacas, Plaids, Pongees, &c. Also, full line of Handkerchiefs, Hosiery, Gloves, Laces, Ribbons, Corsets in a variety of best makes.

This is a positive and peremptory sale, as every dollar's worth of goods must be sold within the next ten days, and will be sold regardless of cost or value. Another opportunity for buying good and desirable goods at your own prices will not soon occur again.

Seats will be provided for ladies attending the sale.

REMEMBER THE PLACE,
172 and 174 Federal Street,
ALLEGHENY CITY.

A Model Establishment.

Jos. Horne's dry goods emporium is one of the model establishments of the city. It is a place of greatest interest to buyers at present. The firm is doing a wonderful business. They offer great bargains in real Black Thread and White Applique Lace Points, fine Point Gauze, Applique and Duchess Lace Handkerchiefs, Collars and Barbes, Scarfs, Tie Ends, Berthas, &c.; also Black Thread Guipure, and Lama Lace Barbes and Scarfs, Ladies' Fancy Bows, Silk Scarfs and Ties, Silk Handkerchiefs, Linen Handkerchiefs, plain white and colored borders. In the gentlemen's department the stock is not surpassed in any store in the city.

A Sensible Holiday Present.

For your mother, wife or sister nothing could be more suitable than a WEED SEWING MACHINE. With its recent improvements it is unquestionably at the head of the list, and cannot fail to give entire satisfaction to the purchaser. We solicit a call and careful examination, and in the *important matter of prices* can assure those contemplating a purchase, that we will *make prices to suit. Cash prices* will be found especially low. Give us a call and get a bargain.
F. C. Biggert,
8 Sixth street.

WHERE IS SANTA CLAUS?

The Question Answered.

Bob Grier and Santa Claus are both in this vicinity. Robert is in Allegheny, and Santa Claus is at 161 Smithfield street, where Backofen's name appears above the doorway. Here it is the children's patron Saint holds forth, and where he has surrendered himself with everything that can carry joy to the infantile heart. Mr. Backofen has selected (under the auspices of S. C.) a most fascinating collection of beautiful things, and "161" is a perfect bower of beauty. Call and see.

Elegant Display.

OF
CHRISTMAS GOODS.
at
J. R. Reed & Co.,
No. 93 Market Street.

Attractive Holiday Goods.

H. J. Adams, 98 Fifth avenue, offers special and unusual inducements to those in quest of articles suitable for holiday gifts. His stock comprises his own make of fine fitting Dress Shirts, Men and Children's Underwear, all the latest novelties in Men's Scarfs, Ties and Bows, Plain and Embroidered Silk Suspenders, Silk, Kid, Dog Skin, Castor and Cloth Gloves, inlined, unlined and fur-topped; Silk, Fur and Wool Cuffs; and endless variety of Ladies' and Gents' Silk Handkerchiefs, in newest shades and patterns. Also plain and bordered Linen Handkerchiefs, elegant Silk and Cashmere Mufflers, Men's and Ladies' Silk and Alpaca Umbrellas, with new styles of handles, Canes, plain and fancy Hosiery, Collars, Cuffs, &c. The prices are marked to suit even the most economical buyer.

HOLIDAY PRESENTS! BRIDAL GIFTS!!

Birthday Presents!!!

Recollect that in making your selections for the Holidays that Emanuel DeRoy, in the GAZETTE Building, displays the finest assortment of Jewelry in the two cities. Ladies' Solid Gold Unredeemed Watches at $15, $16, $17 and $18. Emanuel DeRoy's only Loan Office, 153 Smithfield street, 153. GAZETTE Building. 153. No branch stores.

Underwear.

Every variety of Men's, Ladies' and Children's Scarlet, White and Gray Merino, Flannel and Scotch Wool Undergarments, in fine, medium and common grades, at prices much less than they are worth, to close them out before spring.
H. J. Adams,
98 Fifth avenue.

Forty Per Cent. Saved.

Parties know well enough where to get their holiday goods, but where to buy them the cheapest is the puzzle. Let us inform you that all classes of jewelry goods can be bought at the jewelry house of Moffatt & Co., 123 Fifth avenue, at your own figures.

A Photograph

Made by Dabbs, and tastefully framed, is always an acceptable Christmas present and will last forever.

Grand Headquarters for Holiday Goods at No. 161 Smithfield street, George W. Backofen.

Toys! Toys!! Toys!!!

wholesale and retail. Special inducements to everybody. For bargains in Toys and Holiday Goods call at J. D. Thompson & Co.'s, 176 and 178 Wood street.

A Large

assortment of goods, adapted for holiday presents, at S. Boyd & Co.'s, 66 Fifth avenue.

CHOICE GOODS

FOR
HOLIDAY PRESENTS OPENED THIS DAY
AT
Jos. Horne & Co.'s Retail Stores, Penn Avenue.

Special attention is directed to the following articles suitable for Holiday gifts, of which we have large assortments of new and fresh goods just received: Ladies' Seal Sacques, small, medium and large sizes, Seal and Otter Muffs and Boas, Ladies' Seal Hats, Men's Seal and Otter Caps. Great inducements are being offered in this line of fur goods, and purchasers can rest assured that they will receive extra good value for their money. Rare bargains are being offered in *real* Black Thread and White Applique Lace Points, Fine Point Gauze, Applique and Duchess Lace, Handkerchiefs, Collars, Barbes, Scarfs, Tie Ends, Berthas, &c. Also Black Thread Guipure and Llama Lace Barbes and Scarfs, Ladies' Fancy Boas, Silk Scarfs and Ties, Silk Handkerchiefs, Linen Handkerchiefs, plain, white and colored borders. For Gentlemen, as well as the Seal Caps before spoken of, a large assortment of Seal, Otter and Beaver Fur Gauntlets are offered. Dressing Gowns and Smoking Jackets, Elegant Carriage Lap Robes, &c., &c., at low figures.

Notwithstanding the immense number of persons who have thronged our store during the past few days we have been fully able to attend to the wants of all, and as we have increased our force very largely, will be enabled to give the best attention to every person who may favor our establishment with a call during the holiday season.

Magnificent Bargains Until January 1, at S. Hamilton's, 87 Fifth Avenue.

As we will take stock at January 1, we have determined to reduce our immense stock to the lowest possible margin, and in order to facilitate this we have reduced all our stock to prices that utterly defy competition. As it is well known our house has always been noted for the extreme low figures asked for the class of goods (the best in the market), but in order to sell off balance of stock, we have done even better than our late extraordinary low prices. The matchless Decker Bros. Pianos, as is well known, are the *most valuable;* that is, the most expensively made piano in the world, because every piano they turn out is as near perfection as the highest art and most perfect skill can make it, thus putting them *ordinarily* beyond the reach of the general public. But these, also, we have reduced to such extreme low figures, that anybody who is willing to make a little sacrifice in other directions, can become the possessor of a genuine DECKER Piano, at very little more than you would have to pay for some time-honored but ordinary piano. Also, the Haines Bros. and the beautiful, mellow, full-toned Fischer Pianos, are also reduced to prices that cannot but meet the wishes of all. The Estey Cottage Organs also, we have put down to bottom hard pan prices, in order to close out our immense stock of them before January 1. *Please bear this in mind,* that notwithstanding our present prices, we mean to be just as accommodating as ever, and all honest, reliable (even if you don't own property) purchasers can have all the time necessary, either in monthly or quarterly payments. Call early and secure a good selection, at S. Hamilton's, 87 Fifth avenue, below the Postoffice, Masonic Hall Building.

PRESENTS! PRESENTS!! PRESENTS!!!

Christmas, 1876. New Year, 1877.

Notwithstanding the great demand, I still have a large lot and fine assortment of Ladies' Solid Gold Unredeemed Watches at $15, $16, $17 and $18, at Emanuel DeRoy's Only Loan office, 153 Smithfield street, in the GAZETTE building, 153. No branch stores, 153.

Cloaks, Silks and Velvets.

The great object of every one at present is to promote the happiness of the greatest possible number. As in the matter of charity, so in that of gift-making, it should begin at home. No husband but should present his wife with a new cloak or dress, at least. Let the brother do likewise. And, in this connection, we would impress upon our readers the fact that Messrs. A. W. Carsten & Co., corner of Sixth and Liberty street, have a beautiful assortment of ladies dress goods which have been selected with all the circumspection for which the proprietors, through their experience in the business, have become noted. They have a splendid assortment of cloaks of the latest styles, and of sufficient variety in the grade to enable any one to make a satisfactory selection. Their silks, velvets and dress goods are of prime quality, and are sold at exceedingly low prices. Their aim since the opening of their store has been to keep the fullest line possible of all goods, and sell them at prices as low as their quality will permit.

Furs at a Bargain.

Furs are regarded as an expensive luxury, and when purchased at many establishments are rather costly for the majority of folks, and yet there are houses where cost is but little more than the common substitutes. One such place is the Hat, Cap and Fur house of Thos. J. Barnes, No. 117 Wood street, where is every grade of furs at great bargains. Sacques, muffs and boas very cheap. Misses' and children's furs have been marked down to bottom figures. A large stock of gents' caps and fur gloves. Parties are assured that no cheaper goods can be found in the city.

Search Our Columns

And you will not find the advertisement of the Boston Clothing House, 95 Smithfield street, in any part of the paper, and yet we will say for the Boston that at no other place in the city is there so large an assortment of good and substantial ready-made clothing for men, youths and boys. But the most attractive feature at this house is the cheapness of the goods. Others may rob you in the purchase of a suit, but the Boston Clothing House will ask you but one price, which is always the lowest at which the goods can be sold.

Fine Jewelry.

Messrs. J. R. Reed & Co., No. 93 Market street, have their elegant establishment well filled with a large stock of Christmas goods, embracing fine Bronzes, American and imported; French Mantel Clocks, Flower Stands and Vases, Card Baskets and Stands, &c. Messrs. Reed & Co. have also a very large stock fine Watches, Diamonds and Jewelry. These goods are all fresh and new for the Holiday Season, and should be inspected by those looking for handsome presentation gifts.

Accumulation

Of stock is not permitted at the store of F. H. Eaton & Co., 25 Fifth avenue. When goods marked at one dollar do not sell, they reduce them to fifty cents, and if that doesn't start them, a lower price is named, till their *true value* is reached. The results secured by this rule are many good bargains for customers and clean stocks to select from.

Where to Buy Gloves.

Men's, Ladies' and Children's Winter Gloves and Gauntlets, in kid, castor, cloth, silk, buck and flesher, lined and unlined; also fur tops. Our new prices sell them every time.
H. J. Adams,
98 Fifth avenue.

Go to Backofen's Store, No. 161 Smithfield street, and see the queerest supply of toys and fancy articles that was ever offered to the public at greatly reduced prices.

Holiday Goods

and Toys in endless variety. We invite the attention of everybody, wholesale dealers and retail buyers, to our stock of goods. You will secure bargains by calling at J. D. Thompson & Co.'s, 176 and 178 Wood street.

Straw, Leather and Paper Tree Ornaments.

Fancy Boxes, Toy Books, Candles and Candle-holders in great varieties, at low prices in the German Book Store of George W. Backofen, No. 161 Smithfield street, above Central Presbyterian Church.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CELEBRATIONS.

COMMITTEES WOULD DO WELL TO CALL AT L. T. YODER'S BEFORE PURCHASING ELSEWHERE, NO. 51 SMITHFIELD STREET.

Fancy boxes and Christmas tree ornaments at
Jas. B. Youngson's.

Cheap Stoves! Cheap Stoves!

At Geo. W. Stevenson & Bro.'s, 131 Federal street. Also, a very large stock of Plain and Fancy Japanned Tinware, at very low prices.

S. Hamilton, 87 Fifth Avenue.

Will keep his store open until 9 P. M. until January 1, to accomodate those who wish to purchase a Decker Piano or Estey Organ, and who cannot get to town during the day. *Make a note of this.*

I expect to move my store about the first of the month, and am desirous of closing out my Christmas goods, and will sell them very cheap.
Jas. B. Youngson.

Go and Examine

The elegant stock of Fine Jewelry just received by J. R. REED & CO. for the Holidays, No. 93 MARKET STREET.

Elegant Parlor Suits.

A very excellent and cheap assortment the latest styles of furniture, at the lowes prices in the city at James Milliken & Co.'s 89 Smithfield street.

What are teeth without a tooth-wash?
Where's the pleasure of the breath
If the teeth are black or yellow,
If the mouth is foul as death?
To what do teeth or gums amount
Or breath, deprived of SOZODONT?

Toys at Cost.

In order to close out our stock of Toys and Fancy Good before January 1, we offer most of our Toys at cost and many below cost. For bargains call at J. D. Thompson & Co.'s, 176 and 178 Wood street.

If you are going to trim your Christmas Tree go to Backofen, No. 161 Smithfield street, as his store is the headquarters for Toys and fancy articles.

LADIES' FUR BULLETIN.

The Largest and Finest Stock in the City—Immense Line Seal Sacques, Mink Sable Cloaks, Ladies' and Children's Furs of all Kinds—At a Great Reduction, at Fleming & Eglevee's, 139 Wood Street.

Genuine Seal Sacques $50 00.
Genuine Seal Sacques $75 00.
Genuine Seal Sacques $100 00.
Mink Sable Sets.
Fine Seal Sets.
Black Martin Sets.
French Seal Sets.
Ladies' Seal Hats.
Ladies' Seal Turbans.
Ladies' Seal Gloves.
Seal Sacques from Fifty to Three Hundred Dollars.
Gents' Beaver, Otter and Seal Caps, Collars and Gloves.

This establishment is daily receiving fresh invoices of the above goods, which are being sold at prices not approached by any other house in the city.

The extensive line of Fur goods shown by this house should induce all to call and examine their goods and prices before purchasing. One Price System strictly adhered to. For the accommodation of our customers who do not find it convenient to make their purchases through the day we will keep open on Friday and Saturday to ten o'clock P. M. (10 P. M.)

Merry Christmas to All.

To make everybody feel good—rich and poor and to help anyone to get a suit or overcoat for himself or boy, we shall offer our winter stock until January 1, 1877, as follows:

Men's overcoats $2.75, worth 5.
Men's overcoats $5, worth $8.
Men's overcoats $8, worth $13.
Men's overcoats $14, worth $22.
Men's overcoats $16, worth $25.
Men's overcoats $21, worth $28.
Boys' overcoats $2, worth $3.
Boys' overcoats $3.50, worth $5.
Boys' overcoats $4, worth $6.
Boys' overcoats $6, worth $10.
Boys' suits $3, worth $4.50.
Boys' suits $4, worth $6.
Boys' suits $5, worth $8.
Boys' suits $7, worth $10.50.
Boys' suits $10, worth $14.

This includes children's, boys' and youth's suits.

Men's suits $5, worth $8.
Men's suits $7 worth $10.
Men's suits $10, worth $15.
Men's suits $13, worth $18.
Men's suits $16, worth $22.
Men's suits $21, worth $30.
Heavy coats $2.50, worth $4.50.

Shirts, drawers, knit jackets, jumpers, overalls, socks, gloves and comforters, all at the same reduction.

All parties desiring to have a suit or overcoat made to order, will find the same reduction—before taking stock.

We shall be pleased to see you all, to benefit by this grand opportunity, and offer this to our friends and customers for one week every year.

STRASSBURGER & JOSEPH,
161 Federal street, Allegheny.

Another Lot Opened This Morning

And more to come,—supplies for the million, in Holiday Bows, Scarfs, Mufflers, Silk Pocket Handkerchief, Silk Suspenders, Smoking Jackets, Silk Half Hose, best Silk Umbrellas, Fur Gloves, 2, 4 and 6 Button Kids.

Fresh lot Seal Sacques, Muffs and Boas just in.

Black Chantilla Lace Points, Real Lace in elegant designs at moderate prices.

Fresh lines long Cloth Cloaks, at new prices.

Jos. Horne & Co.,
Retail Stores.

Your Best Venture

During the holiday week will be to order one of the inimitable suits manufactured by Messrs. Bleakley & Kunz, No. 70 Smithfield street. A full line of excellent material as well as a varied assortment of furnishing goods at low prices. Satisfaction assured. Work guaranteed.

Five Years Ago

Almost all Ladies' and Children's Cloaks were made to order. They are now, almost without exception, ready-made. This result is due largely to the efforts of F. H. Eaton & Co., No. 25 Fifth avenue, to introduce and popularize this line of goods. They hold now, as they have done from the beginning, the foremost position in this branch of the business.

Beautiful Silk Handkerchiefs.

A new lot of choice Silk Handkerchiefs, in new patterns and shades. Prices very low. H. J. Adams, 98 Fifth avenue.

History, Poetry, Family Bibles, Commentaries, Encyclopedias,

At Drape's Great Sale of
NEW BOOKS.
This Saturday Evening.

Beautiful Silk Umbrellas.

An elegant variety of Silk Umbrellas, blacks and browns, new styles of handles, bought and to be sold very low. Just the thing for a present.
H. J. Adams,
98 Fifth avenue.

Bargains! Bargains!!

In Toys and Fancy Goods at wholesale and retail. The largest and best stock of Toys we have yet offered, at J. D. Thompson & Co.'s, 176 and 178 Wood street.

Read This Those Who Want a Cheap Piano or Organ for New Beginners.

A splendid 7⅓ oct. Bradbury Piano used only a year for $250.
A 7 oct. Knabe Piano, $180.
A 7 oct. Blackburn, $150.
And four others ranging from $125 down to $40, all in good order.

ALSO:

A large lot of second-hand Organs at prices away under what they are worth, running from $20 to $100. Some magnificent bargains. Also, all new stock at extra low figures, as we wish to close out all stock possible before January 1st to take stock. Everything warranted as represented. Easy payments will be made to suit purchasers.

ALSO:

Store will be kept open until 9 P. M. each evening until January 1st. Remember the place is
HAMILTON'S,
87 Fifth avenue.

LAKE GEORGE DIAMONDS!!

Real Diamonds Surpassed.

Ladies should see those elegant eardrops. Nothing finer. Cannot be distinguished from real diamonds. For sale at Emanuel DeRoy's only loan office, in the GAZETTE building, 153 Smithfield street, 153. No branch stores. 153.

Fruit Cake

For the Holidays,
at Youngson's,
Corner of Diamond and Smithfield.

The New Weed Sewing Machine

will make a most acceptable holiday present, and we are offering special inducements to purchasers until January 1st. We can guarantee a most satisfactory machine; *and in prices can suit our purchasers.* Every machine is fully supplied with attachments and conveniences, and is *complete* in all senses of the word. Give us a call and secure a bargain.
F. C. Biggert,
8 Sixth street.

Underwear.

Men's and Boys' Underwear of every description and color. Very much reduced in price.
H. J. Adams.

A large assortment of Tree Ornaments, very cheap. Youngson's.

We Haven't Time Now to Advertise,

but come and see our immense stock of Holiday Books, Photo Albums, Writing Desks and beautiful fancy goods.
S. A. Clarke & Co.,
Wood street, near Fifth avenue.

GROWING PICTURES

GIVEN WITH EVERY POUND OF CANDY AT L. T. YODER'S, 51 SMITHFIELD STREET.

Oranges, Malay grapes, figs and bon-bons, at
Jas. B. Youngson's.

Christmas Presents.

All those whose who intend purchasing a fine Christmas present for any member of their family should call at J. R. Reed & Co., No. 93 Market street.

161 Smithfield Street

is a perfect bower of beauty, and among the children Backofen's store has become a household word.

Selling at Cost.

The stock of jewelry of Messrs. J. M. Moffatt & Co., 123 Fifth avenue, consisting of fine watches, clocks, rings, pins, &c., is being sold at cost, which offers an excellent opportunity to those who wish to secure good and cheap holiday gifts.

Mothers call at Youngson's and buy your candy for the little ones.

Public Opinion

has long ago decided that the firm of Geo. W. Stevenson & Bro. have the largest and finest assortment of Fire Irons, Coal Vases, Fancy Coal Hods, Toilet Ware, Granite Iron Ware, &c., which they are selling at exceedingly low prices, at 131 Federal street.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, is the only leading first-class hotel that has come down to "hard pan" rates, viz.: reduced from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

Choice New Mufflers,

Silk, Cashmere and Camel's Hair.
H. J. Adams, 98 Fifth avenue.

Only $1.00

For a nice pair of cloth embroidered Slippers, at G. D. Simen's, 78 Ohio street, Allegheny. SM

The Leading Toy Store

of the city is J. D. Thompson & Co.'s. They offer a large stock of Toys at lower prices than any other store in the city. Everything in the Toy line at J. D. Thompson & Co.'s, 176 and 178 Wood street.

Caramels, taffy, and the best mixed candy at
Jas. B. Youngson's.

The Greatest rush that was ever witnessed has been at George W. Backofen's, No. 161 Smithfield street, where Santa Claus in all his glory is to be seen.

COMMERCIAL.

PITTSBURGH PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE,
FRIDAY, December 22, 1876.

There was a better feeling in oil circles to-day, caused in part by the more favorable character of the foreign advices, but business was quiet and will likely continue so until after the holidays. Crude was quoted this P. M. at $3.71¼, and immediate shipment at $3.80a3.85.

Refined was reported firmer, but exporters are still refusing to buy, hence there is little or nothing doing. New York was quoted at 30c for December. Price to home trade buyers unchanged at 27c.

Oil Barrels still reported firm at $1.50 for city make.

SHIPMENTS OF REFINED OIL PER A. V. AND B. AND O. RAILROADS.

Shipper.			Bbls.
American Oil Works	Brough, McK. & Co	Bal.	1,459
Standard Oil Co	Warden, F & Co.	Balt.	1,591
Total			3,050

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, December 22, 1876.

FLOUR—Firmer; held at 12½@25c higher.

GRAIN—Wheat active, firmer and higher; No. 2 Chicago $1,21¾ cash; $1,22½ January; $1,24 February; sales at $1,24⅝ February; No. 3 $1,10@1,10½; rejected 95@97½c. Corn in good demand and a shade higher; 44⅞c cash; 44⅝c January; 44⅞c February. Oats dull; 33¾c cash; 34c January. Rye firmer; 69½c. Barley steady at 64½@65c.

PROVISIONS—Pork dull, weak and lower; $16,40 cash; $16,60@16,72½ February; $16,80@16,85 March. Lard in fair demand at lower rates; $10 50 cash; $10.60@10,62½ February; $10,72½@10,75 March. Bulk meats steady and unchanged.

WHISKY—Steady and unchanged.

On Call Board wheat was lower; $1,21½ January; $1,63⅝ February. Corn easier; 44⅛c January. Oats nominal. Pork firmer; $16,4⅞ January. Lard firmer; $10,52½ January; $10,80 February.

New York.

NEW YORK, December 22.—Flour: more doing; receipts 14,600 bbls; superfine western and State $5,20@5,40; common to good $5,60@5,70; good to choice $5,75@5,85; white wheat extra $5,90@6,25; extra Ohio $5,60@7,25; St. Louis $5,55@8,25. Wheat firm and in fair demand; receipts 22,000 bushels; ungraded spring $1.18@1.40; No. 2 Milwaukee $1.40@1.42½; No. 3 $1.33; No. 2 Chicago nominally $1.38@1.39; No. 3 $1.31@1.32. Coffee in fair demand; Rio cargoes 17@20½c. Molasses steady; New Orleans firm. Petroleum dull; crude 16c; refined 30c; cases nominal; naphtha 15c. Rosin firm. Turpentine easier at 49½c. Whisky steady at $1,13.

Foreign.

LONDON, December 22.—Refined petroleum 23a23½d.

ANTWERP, December 22.—Refined petroleum 65f.

LIVERPOOL, December 22.—Cotton firm at 6 9-16@6¾d; sales of 20,000 bales; speculation and export 4,000 bales; American 11,600. Breadstuffs strong. Receipts of wheat for 3 days 6,000 qrs.; American 4,000. California white wheat average 11s@11s4d; Club 11s 8d@11s 8d; red western 10s@10s 8d; winter 10s 8d. Refined petroleum 24d; spirits 14d.

Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, December 22.—Flour strong and higher; family $6,25@6,35@6.40. Wheat strong; red $1,30@1,40. Corn dull and drooping; 45@46c. Oats firm, 30@38c. Rye firm at 85c. Pork easier; $16.50. Lard dull; steam $10.37½ cash; $10,65 February; kettle $11. Bulk meats dull and drooping; shoulders 6¼@6¼c; clear ribs 8½@8¾c; clear 8⅝@8⅞c, all loose. Bacon dull and nominal. Green meats easier; shoulders $5,90@6; short rib $7.90@8. Hams: 9@10c. Whisky quiet but steady at $1,18.

Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, December 22.—Petroleum firm and nominal. Flour firm; Minnesota family $6,50@7. Wheat firm; amber $1,46@1,47; white $1,45@1,50. Whisky: western $1,12.

Toledo.

TOLEDO, December 22.—Flour quiet and firm. Wheat firm; No. 1 white Michigan $1,37; amber $1,44; seller January $1,42¾; No. 2 amber $1,24; No. 3 red $1,23½.

St. Louis

ST. LOUIS, December 22.—Flour dull and nominal; firm for fall extra at $5,25@6.25. Wheat dull; No. 2 red fall $1,36¼. Whisky firm at $1,08.

Cleveland.

CLEVELAND December 22.—Petroleum market steady and firm; S. W. 110 test 27c.

Live Stock.

NEW YORK, December 22.—Beeves: receipts 650 head, making 3,250 for four days, against 5,680 same time last week; market firm, especially for medium to good steers of moderate weight; some premium cattle 9@10 cwt 11½@11¾c; medium to prime 9@11c. Sheep: receipts 2,600 head, making 7,770 for four days, against 13,420 the same time last week; stock mainly good, with a fair demand at 4@6⅛c for common to strictly prime, with a few extra sheep at 6½@6⅝c. Swine: arrivals 1,840 head, with 16 car loads to arrive, and total for four days 19,680, against 20,630 same time last week; none offered alive.

BUFFALO, December 22.—Cattle: receipts 459 head; total for the week 5,774 head; no market today; the fresh arrivals were through consignments; yards bare of stock. Sheep and lambs: receipts 600 head; total for the week 9,800 head; market active; good western ½c stronger; common dull and lower; sales of 8 cars. Hogs: receipts 1,850 head; total for the week 14,050 head; market moderately active; sales of 10 cars Yorkers at $5,25@5,90 for common to best; 5 cars heavy $5@6; 3 cars Philadelphia $6.20@6.50.

CHICAGO, December 22.—Cattle: receipts 1,870 head; shipments 1,670; scarce and firmer; one lot sold at $5,90; stockers $3; medium to fair $4@4,25; extra to extra prime $5.10@5,90. Hogs: receipts 26,000 head; shipments 1,400; fairly active; about 5c lower; light to extra $5.70@6,25; sales mostly 5,75@6,20. Sheep: receipts 640 head; dull and unchanged.

ST. LOUIS, December 22.—Hogs inactive; no change. Cattle: fair demand for shipping grades; fancy steers 5c; prime 4⅝@4¾c; good 3¾@4¼c.

CINCINNATI, December 22.—Hogs slow; common $5@5.50; fair to good light $5.60@5,80; packing $5,85a6,10; few extra heavy $6,15; many unsold.

INDIANAPOLIS, December 22.—Hogs: quiet; $5.75a5,95; receipts 4,900 head.

Dry Goods

NEW YORK, December 22.—Business was generally light with commission houses and dull with importers and jobbers. Cotton goods are firmly held in first hands. Prints are in moderate request. Ginghams are quiet, but firm, and Amoskeag, Gloucester, Mohawk and Miami makes are advanced ¼ cent. Woolen goods for men's wear are in moderate request. Foreign goods are dull.

Cotton.

NEW YORK, December 22.—Cotton dull at 12¼@12 7-16c; futures closed easy; December 12 11-32@12¼c; January 12 7-16c; February 12 23-32@12¾c; March 12 15-16@12 31-32c.

HOLIDAY GOODS.

FLOWERS A SPECIALTY.

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HAMMOND—STEDEFORD—On Thursday evening, December 21st, Mr. CHARLES HAMMOND to Miss AMANDA JANE, daughter of James Stedeford, Esq., at the residence of the bride's parents, in Allegheny city, by the Rev. Jos. King.

DEAN—ROBERTSON—On Thursday, December 21st, 1876, by Rev. S. F. Scovel, GEORGE W. DEAN and MARY C., daughter of the late Wm. C. Robertson.

DIED:

LOUGHRIDGE—On Friday evening, December 22d, 1876, at 6:15, EFFIE ROSS, daughter of James and Margaret Loughridge, aged 4 years, 1 month and 9 days.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of her parents, corner Bedford avenue and Logan street, on MONDAY MORNING at 10 o'clock.

NESMITH—At the residence of his son-in-law, G. O. Pratt, Walnut, Illinois, December 9th, Mr. THOS. NESMITH, Sr., in the 96th year of his age, formerly of Pittsburgh, Pa.

May they follow him as he followed Christ. He went to the grave in a full age like as a shock o corn cometh in his season. The righteous hath hope in his death. M.

DEITRICH—On Wednesday afternoon at four o'clock, STEPHEN DIETRICH, in the 42d year of his age, at his residence, Butler street, near 37th street.

Funeral on SUNDAY at 2 o'clock.

☞W. S. SMITH, LATE OF RODNEY & SMITH, Undertakers, has removed to the office of Miller & Morrow, No. 19 OHIO STREET, Allegheny, where he will attend to Undertaking in all its branches. Office open day and night. Fine carriages and hearse furnished on short notice.

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RIVER NEWS.

BROWNSVILLE, December 22, 1876.

River 5 feet and falling. Weather snowy; thermometer 26 at 7 P. M.

OIL CITY, December 22, 1876.

River 1 foot 7 inches, and stationary. Weather cloudy and cold.

CINCINNATI, December 22, 1876.

The river is unchanged; weather growing colder and cloudy.

LOUISVILLE, December 22, 1876.

The river is rising, with a slight prospect of a break-up in the ice should the stream continue to swell and the weather remain warm.

EVANSVILLE, December 22, 1876.

Chiefly cloudy and smoky; mercury 33 to 41; growing colder this evening with light snow. River 4 4-10 feet and stationary; no ice running inside; channel open again; no boats in except the Henderson and Pottsville packets.

ST. LOUIS, December 22, 1876.

There is no change to note in the condition of the river. The ice gorge is still very solid, and extends for many miles north and south of here. Four large pumps were put in operation on the Centennial this afternoon. She is expected to be afloat and free of water by midnight. Aside from this there is no change in the situation of the ice locked steamers at the Arsenal. Snow was falling all day, with low temperature. It is now quite cold.

NEW ORLEANS, December 22, 1876.

No arrivals or departures. Cloudy and pleasant. Navigation at the mouth of Red river closed on account of low water.

CAIRO, December 22, 1876.

Navigation still suspended. River 1 foot 4 inches and falling; mercury 22; clear.

The weather moderated considerably yesterday, with a snow squall in the afternoon, but Old Prob. predicted that it would get cold again last night. Prospect for a break up are as remote as ever.

Capt. Dugan says he can raise the Leopard.

The Barnard and barges are in harbor at Westport.

The little steamer Mab cut her way through to the A. J. Baker and barges, and bravely brought them in safety into an eddy behind Grand Tower, on Monday night.

The Georgia and Alabama Steamboat Co. contemplates building a steamer to navigate the Oostanaula and Coosawattee rivers, to be called the Coosawattee. This will make two steamers for those two rivers.

Mr Barnard, agent of the St. Louis Underwriters, has gone by rail to Chester, and will make an official inspection of all the boats and gorges from that point up to St. Louis. He will be gone several days.

The Madison *Courier*: Capt. James Goode, of St. Louis, and Mr. Elliott, of Pittsburgh, are in the city to consult with Supt. Morton, of the shipyard, as to the drafting and modeling of what is to be the largest towboat ever built in the West.

The steamer J. W. Van Sant, lying at Montrose, was attached on Friday, for the Keokuk Northern Line Packet Co., who claim $207 from the owners of the boat. Green says he found the boat, but he couldn't move her very well, as she was high and dry on the shore.

The Homer, at the time she sunk, had on only the way and Shreveport freight of the Fanchon, and the Fanchon's freight for points on the railway beyond Shreveport was sent forward all right on the Dawn and Col. Kountz, from Alexandria. Hence the loss of freight is not so bad as was supposed.

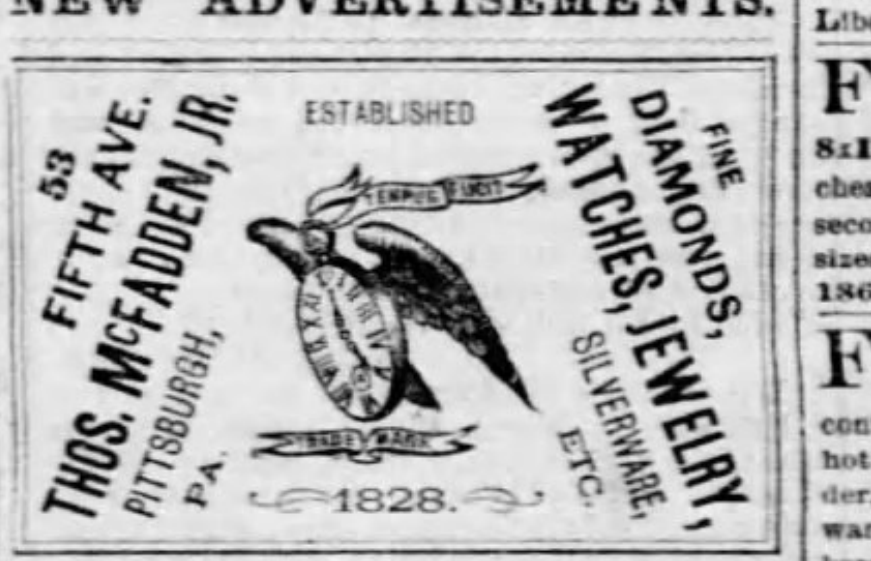
The St. Louis *Republican* says: Deputy U. S. Marshal Stewart left for Horstall, on Friday evening, to attach the steamer Utah, the Lewis Coal Co. having libelled her for a sum less than $100. The boat was gone, but the deputy, at last accounts, was following her up. It is probable that he is now on board at Ste. Genevieve, or has been paid the money. Capt. Smith was probably not aware of this small libel being unpaid.

The Gallipolis *Bulletin*: Capt. Martin of the steamer West Virginia, informs us that it was the passengers, and not the crew of his boat, as stated in the *Bulletin* last week, that complained of the Ohio No. 4 not coming to the assistance at the time of the late accident to the West Virginia. He thinks it was impossible for the Ohio to have gotten in to where the West Virginia lay, and entertains no hard feelings in the matter.

The Memphis *Avalanche*: Workmen were busy all of Sunday trying to get the sunken Carl Schurz afloat, but they were not rewarded with success. Once a chain that had been passed under her hull gave way, and let her down into the river. Then the diver went to the bottom and run another under and he came to the surface as mad as a wet hen, so mad, in fact, that he flung snatch blocks, boards and other objects at the heads of several laborers. None were hit, but several came within an ace of catching it right on the nose.

The Cincinnati *Gazette* of Thursday says: People generally preferred the ice to the bridges, yesterday, for purposes of crossing, as being less expensive. The City of Portsmouth has two holes in her hull—one abreast of her boiler, and the other aft. A large quantity of ice has worked into her hull through these holes. Over 2500 tons of sugar and molasses, destined to points along the Ohio river, are now detained at Memphis by the closing of navigation above Cairo. The Thos. Sherlock has 1100 tons, the Ashland 600 tons, the Schenck 700 tons, and the Mary Houston over 500 tons. The larger share of each of the above cargoes is Southern sweetness.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.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☞THE EXHIBITION OF THE Pittsburgh Artists' Association will be continued DAY and EVENING, at Library Hall, until SATURDAY, the 23d, inclusive.
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TO LET—GOOD 2 STORY BRICK Dwelling House, No. 50 Poplar street; will be rented low to a good tenant; also, No. 266 Sandusky street, containing 10 rooms; rent reasonable. Inquire of JOHN STERRITT & SON, Real Estate Agents, 43 North Diamond street, Allegheny. nol

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—THOROUGHLY ESTABLISHED and paying Newspaper. Address BUSINESS, care GAZETTE office. m69

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ELECTIONS.

GERMAN NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH.
☞THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR Nine Directors, to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at the Banking house on TUESDAY, JANUARY 9, 1877, between the hours of 11 A. M. and 2 P. M.
J. LAURENT, Cashier.
PITTSBURGH, December 12, 1876.

☞MERCHANTS' AND MANUFACTURERS' NATIONAL BANK ELECTION—The annual election for Directors of this Bank will be held at the Banking House, No. 61 Fourth avenue, on TUESDAY, January 9, 1877, between the hours of eleven A. M. and one P. M.
W. A. SHAW, Cashier.
PITTSBURGH, December 9, 1876.

SMITHFIELD NATIONAL BANK,
PITTSBURGH, December 8, 1876.
☞AN ELECTION FOR NINE DIRECTORS will be held at the bank on TUESDAY, January 9, between 1 and 3 P. M.
W. W. SCOTT, Cashier.

DUQUESNE NATIONAL BANK.
☞THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR Directors of this Bank will be held at the Banking House, No. 65 Smithfield street, on TUESDAY, January 9, 1877, between the hours of eleven A. M. and one P. M.
A. H. PATTERSON, Cashier.
PITTSBURGH, December 12, 1877.

THIRD NATIONAL BANK,
ALLEGHENY, PA., Dec. 8, 1876.
☞THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR nine (9) directors of this Bank will be held at the Banking House, on TUESDAY, January the 9th, 1877, between the hours of 11 A. M. and 1 P. M.
H. A. SPANGLER, Cashier.

MECHANICS NATIONAL BANK,
PITTSBURGH, December 9, 1876.
☞AN ELECTION FOR DIRECTORS will be held at the bank TUESDAY, January 9, 1877, between the hours of 1 and 3 P. M.
WM. E. THOMPSON, Cashier.

IRON CITY NATIONAL BANK,
PITTSBURGH, PA., December 4, 1876.
☞ELECTION—THE ANNUAL ELECTION for Thirteen Directors of this bank, to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at the banking house on TUESDAY, January 9, 1877, between the hours of 1 and 3 P. M.
GEORGE E. DUNCAN, Cashier.

☞FOURTH NATIONAL BANK.—ELECTION—The annual election for Directors of this Bank to serve for the ensuing year will be held at the Banking House, No. 82 Fourth avenue, on TUESDAY, January 9, 1877, between the hours of 11 A. M. and 1 P. M.
S. D. HERRON, Jr., Cashier.
PITTSBURGH, December 9, 1876. m29

SECOND NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH,
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 8, 1876.
☞ELECTION—THE ANNUAL ELECTION for nine Directors to serve for the ensuing year will be held at this Bank, No. 293 Liberty street, on TUESDAY, January 9, 1877, between the hours of 12 M. and 1 P. M.
JAMES H. WILLOCK, Cashier.

TRADESMEN'S NATIONAL BANK,
UNITED STATES DEPOSITORY,
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 9, 1876.
☞ELECTION—THE ANNUAL ELECTION for Directors of this Bank will be held at the Banking House on TUESDAY, January 9, 1877, between the hours of 11 A. M. and 12 M.
CYRUS CLARKE, Jr., Cashier.

THIRD NATIONAL BANK,
PITTSBURGH, December 9, 1876.
☞THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR Directors of this Bank will be held at the Banking House on TUESDAY, January 9, 1877, between the hours of 11 A. M. and 1 P. M.
W. STEINMEYER, Cashier.

CITY SAVINGS BANK,
PITTSBURGH, December 9, 1876.
☞THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR thirteen Directors of this Bank will be held at the Banking House, corner Sixth avenue and Smithfield street, on TUESDAY, January 9, 1877, between the hours of 11 A. M. and 2 P. M.
J. W. TAYLOR, Cashier.

PITTSBURGH, December 9, 1876.
☞ELECTION—AN ELECTION FOR eleven Directors of the People's National Bank of Pittsburgh, will be held at its Banking House, on TUESDAY, the 9th day of January, 1877, between the hours of 11 A. M. and 1 P. M.
m28 F. M. GORDON, Cashier.

OFFICE OF THE CITIZENS INSURANCE CO.,
No. 96 Fourth avenue, (English's Block),
PITTSBURGH, December 7, 1876.
☞AN ELECTION FOR FIFTEEN DIRECTORS of this Company to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at this office on MONDAY, the 18th inst., between the hours of 11 A. M. and 1 P. M.
WALTER MORRIS, Secretary.

EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK,
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 8, 1876.
☞THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR Directors of this Bank, will be held at the Banking House, No. 46 Fifth avenue, on TUESDAY, January 9, 1877, between the hours of 11 A. M. and 12 M.
A. LONG, Cashier.

CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK,
PITTSBURGH, December 8, 1876.
☞ELECTION—THE ANNUAL ELECTION for Nine Directors to serve for the ensuing year will be held at the Banking House on SECOND TUESDAY OF JANUARY, 1877, (January 9), between the hours of 11 A. M. and 1 P. M.
R. K. WILSON, Cashier.

ALLEGHENY NATIONAL BANK,
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 8, 1876.
☞ELECTION—AN ELECTION OF Directors to serve during the ensuing year, will be held at the Banking House, on TUESDAY, January 9, 1877, from 11 to 1 o'clock.
W. MCCANDLESS, Cashier.

PHILADELPHIA, December 5, 1876.
☞NOTICE—THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Stockholders of the MERCANTILE PETROLEUM CO. will be held at the rooms of the Drug Exchange, No. 17 South Third street, TUESDAY, the 12th inst., at 1 o'clock, for the election of officers to serve for the ensuing year.
m17 W. S. RUSSELL, Secretary.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK PITTSBURGH, PA.,
PITTSBURGH, December 19, 1876.
☞ELECTION—THE ANNUAL ELECTION for nine Directors of this Bank will be held at the Banking House, on TUESDAY, January 9th, 1877, between the hours of 11 A. M. and 1 P. M.
m62 J. D. SCULLY, Cashier.

☞ELECTION NOTICE.—THERE will be a meeting of the Stockholders of the WOODS RUN SAVINGS FUND and LOAN ASSOCIATION at the banking house, on MONDAY, January 1st, between the hours of 1 and 3 P. M., for the purpose of electing nine directors.
W. J. LANGFITT, President.
m59-TTHS